Today's Weather.
Cool.

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NEWS SUMMARY

THE SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST.

Gen. Kuroki, with the center of the Japanese army, is at Yen-Tai, where Russian troops are gathering in large numbers to defend the coal mines there. At Da pass, 50 miles southeast of Mukden, a Japanese force on Tuesday attempted a flanking movement but were repulsed by Russian cavalry, aided by machine guns. Gen. Kaulbars, who is to command a division of Russia's Manchurian army, is nearly ready to start to Harbin. With the completion of Russia's circum-Baikal road early in October, it is hoped to send 150,000 troops to Manchuria monthly. Detachments of the czar's royal guards are ordered to the front.—Page 1.

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President Roosevelt will leave Oyster Bay for Washington today.—Page 3.

Seventy thousand steel workers have been employed within the last 10 days.—Page 7.

D. B. Hill surrendered to Tammany and a compromise candidate was nominated by the Democrats for governor of New York.—Page 14.

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The Democratic conferees in the Thirty-third district have also entered into a deadlock on senatorial nominations.—Page 1.

State pardon board refuses all of the applications laid before it.—Page 3.

The jubilee of the Rev. Father Farren will commence at Johnstown today.—Page 14.

Pittsburghers participate in the proceedings of the state Homeopathic convention and are also among the officers elected.—Page 14.

Senator Fairbanks addressed an immense audience at the convention of the League of Republican clubs at Reading.—Page 1.

LOCAL.

William J. Brennen was in complete control of the Democratic convention.—Page 6.

Negroes of Homestead and vicinity celebrated 41st anniversary of the emancipation proclamation.—Page 5.

Merchants and Manufacturers' association dedicates first of the "Seeing Greater Pittsburgh" tours.—Page 5.

Bankers refuse to buy filtration bonds until courts declare them legal.—Page 7.

The public baths committee has received from a London architect designs for the proposed Soho institution.—Page 3.

Steel manufacturers claim that the new price lists will be strictly observed.—Page 13.

LEGAL.

Surviving partners of Lathrop, Bacon & Co. must pay Morris and Brown $113,676, a balance on stock transactions.—Page 14.

SPORTING.

The Pirates took two games from Brooklyn, the first 5 to 1 and the second 2 to 1.—Page 9.

Pittsburgh and Allegheny Country Golf clubs won two clever matches yesterday.—Page 9.

FINANCIAL.

New York stocks are stronger and prices regain the ground lost on Tuesday. Forecasted frosts in corn belt fail to occur and bear argument is lost. Union Pacific shows notable activity which causes many rumors. Local stocks are fairly active and irregular.—Pages 12 and 13.

THE WEATHER

Cool.

Continued cool today, and warmer conditions for tomorrow, is the Washington forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 62 and the minimum 49 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 6:06 and set clear at 6:19 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.39	49	65	N.	Clear.
8 p. m.	30.44	50	52	N.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for September 21:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum	62	76	Mean	56	62
Minimum	49	49	Precipitation	..	..
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	65		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.08	
Dfcy. for day	9		Dfcy. since Sept. 1.	.22	
Exc. since Sept. 1.	1		Exc. since Jan. 1.	.12	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	547				

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania — Continued cool Thursday; Friday partly cloudy and warmer; fresh north winds, becoming variable.

West Virginia—Fair, continued cool Thursday; Friday cloudy, rain and warmer in east portion.

Ohio—Fair, continued cool Thursday; Friday, partly cloudy and warmer, probably showers in west portion; fresh northeast to north winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cairo	62	Cloudy	Washington	56	Clear
Chicago	54	Clear	Indianapolis	56	Clear
St. Louis	60	PtCldy	Kansas City	62	Cloudy
Omaha	60	Cloudy	Cincinnati	60	Clear
El Paso	76	Clear	New York	50	Clear
Marquette	44	Clear	Philadelphia	54	Clear
St. Paul	58	Clear	Buffalo	42	Cloudy
Duluth	44	Clear	Oklahoma	64	Cloudy
Huron	54	Cloudy	Louisville	64	PtCldy
Vicksburg	80	Cloudy	Nashville	70	Cloudy
Salt Lake	76	Cloudy	New Orleans	80	PtCldy

When in New York stop at Gregorian hotel, 35th st., West, near 5th ave.

RALLIED 'ROUND REPUBLICANISM

Multitude Gathered in Great Demonstration at Reading.

FAIRBANKS SPEAKS

Reminds Wage Earners of the Disasters of Last Democratic Administration.

LEAGUE CLUBS IN PARADE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

READING, PA., Sept. 21.—Democratic Berks county could not furnish a hall large enough to accommodate the crowd that turned out tonight to hear Senators Fairbanks and Foraker. As it was, fully 3,000 persons crowded the Academy of Music to the doors and gave to the Republican rally an air of enthusiasm that has not been approached in any campaign here since the memorable whirlwind tour through the state in 1894 by the late Gov. Hastings.

A monster torchlight parade of the Republican clubs here in convention paved the way to tonight's meeting. For a Democratic county, the parade was a remarkable scene. In line were Republican clubs from all parts of Pennsylvania.

Senator Fairbanks' first appearance in Pennsylvania at a public meeting since his nomination for vice president naturally attracted a crowd, which was made up of Republicans and Democrats alike.

Warning to Wage Earners.

He talked to his hearers on the tariff and money questions, devoting his attention chiefly to a discussion of the former, punctuating his remarks with good-natured and forceful advice to wage earners to keep in mind what happened to the country after the change in national administrations in 1892.

While the delegates in attendance on the annual convention of Republican clubs contributed largely to the success of the meeting, there was a big outpouring of Berks countyians, and an overflow meeting was necessary in order that those who had traveled from all parts of the county might hear the several speakers.

In the Academy of Music meeting were perhaps 200 Reading women, and they had seats well to the front. On the stage, flanking the speakers on all sides, were upward of 300 representative men of the county. John R. Wiggins, who will tomorrow be re-elected president of the State League of Republican clubs, presided over the meeting.

When Senators Fairbanks and Foraker walked on to the stage in company with Chairman Penrose they were accorded a hearty welcome. Senator Fairbanks spoke as follows:

Tribute to Penrose.

I am glad to meet here your distinguished senior senator, Mr. Penrose, with whom I have been associated for seven years in the public service. He is able and indefatigable in support of the Republican principles and Republican administration; level-headed and courageous, a political leader of acknowledged power. You honor yourselves when you honor him.

The Republican party has completed half a century of splendid and patriotic service in the interest of freedom. It has stood with intelligent and inflexible determination for the establishment of our industrial supremacy. It has never believed in the Democratic policy of making Great Britain and other countries beyond the seas the workshop of America. It has always believed that we have the natural resources, the genius and the capacity to build up industrial centers which would rival Birmingham, Manchester, Swansea and the greatest to be found in any other country.

In raising revenues, duties should be so levied upon foreign products as to preserve the home market so far as possible to our own producers. This is the policy to which we will adhere. Our experience has amply justified it. Our Democratic friends are divided upon some important questions, but with respect to tariff they are united. They stand by their traditional policy of hostility to the protective system. The Republicans do not propose to invite a return of conditions which existed during the last Democratic administration. We want no policy which will close American factories and turn our labor into the street.

Penrose Predicts 300,000.

Senator Penrose congratulated the league on its progress during the past year, and showed how they were an important factor in the organization of the party. He eulogized the administration of President Roosevelt, and told of its most important acts of the past three years. He impressed upon the voters the importance of keeping the Republican party in power. He predicted 300,000 plurality in Pennsylvania for Roosevelt and Fairbanks, and said that reports from all the states showed that November would show a landslide favorable to the Republican ticket.

At the overflow meeting Arthur T. Bates, congressman from the Erie-Crawford district, presided. The speakers were F. B. Vrooman of California, Col. Ned Arden Flood of Meadville, Congressman Moon of Philadelphia and Senators Fairbanks, Foraker and Penrose.

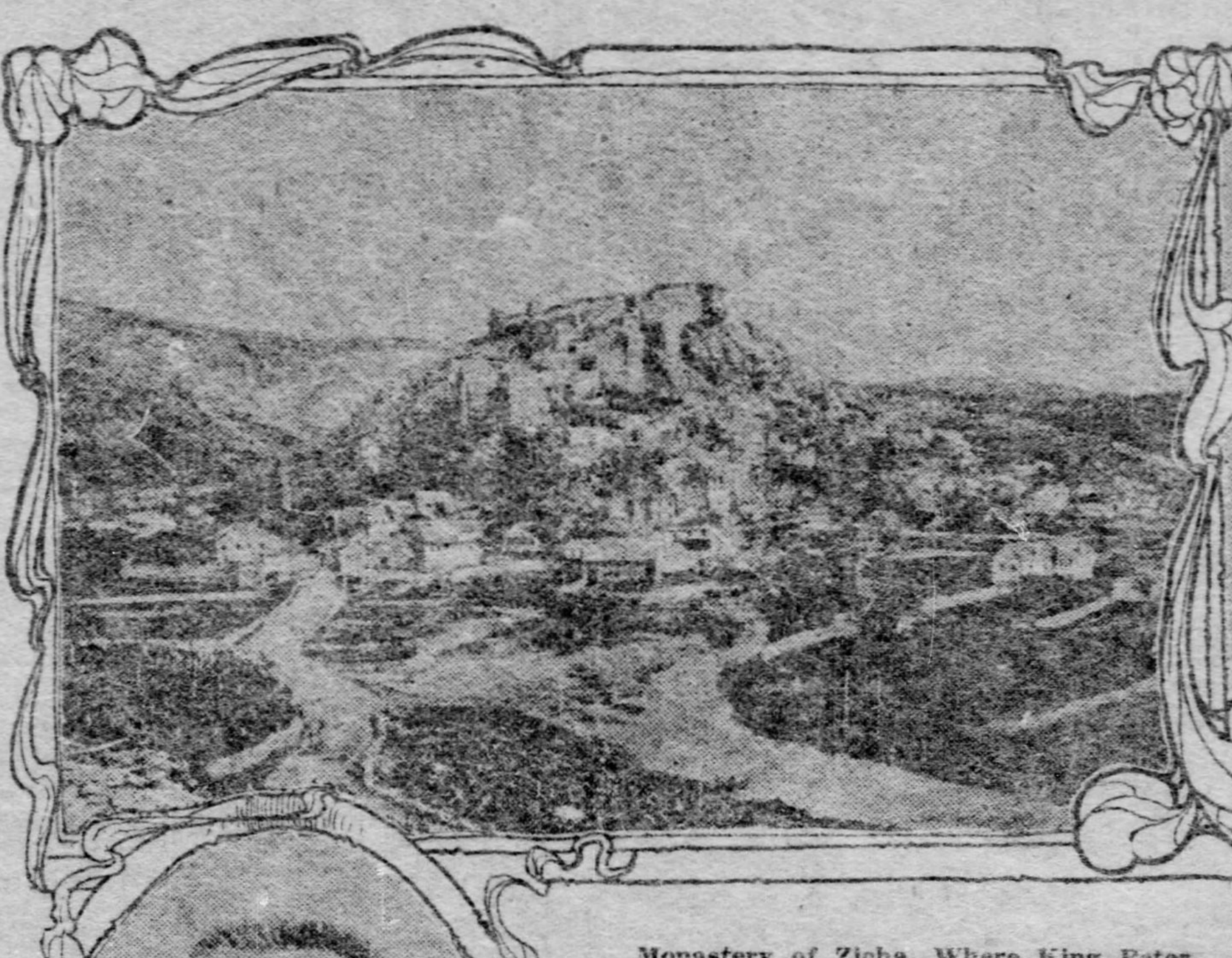
A special train conveyed Senators Fairbanks, Foraker and Penrose to Reading from Philadelphia. Congressmen Moon, Castor and Bates and J. Hampton Moore were with the party as a committee on escort. Stops were made en route at Norristown and Pottstown, where Senators Fairbanks and Foraker made five-minute speeches. At Phoenixville and Birdsboro informal receptions were held.

League Convention Convenes.

The first session of the convention of the League of Clubs was held this morning. President Wiggins congratulated the league on its growth in the last year from 90 to 275 clubs, "and not a single mushroom in the list." One of the things decided upon was that work should be started at once on the formation of a league of college clubs.

A. T. Connell, Scranton; John Verdin, Philadelphia, and Harry W. Diehl, Allegheny, were named as a committee to draft suitable resolutions on the fiftieth anniversary of the Republican party.

TURBULENT NATION'S RULER IS ENTHRONED



Monastery of Zicha, Where King Peter Is to Be Anointed With Holy Oil.

King Peter of Servia.

Lieut. Lunjevitza, Who Would Have Succeeded to the Servian Throne If He Had Not Been Murdered.

NINE PERSONS ARE BLOWN TO PIECES

An Electric Car Runs Into a Fifty-Pound Box of Dynamite.

HAD FALLEN FROM A WAGON

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MELROSE, MASS., Sept. 21.—An outward bound electric car, containing 32 persons, was blown to pieces in this city tonight by striking a 50-pound box of dynamite that had fallen off an express wagon. Six persons were killed outright, three more died of their injuries within an hour, and 19 others were taken to hospitals.

The following dead have been identified:

DR. MALCOLM E. M'LENNAN, Melrose Highlands:
E. B. HAYNES, Melrose.
WINFIELD ROWE, Saugus, Mass., motorman.
E. A. STOWE, South Boston.
FRED D. MARSHAL, Boston.

The unidentified dead are three women and a 3-year-old girl.

The injured are Edward A. Waterhouse of Melrose, Dr. Perry of Wakefield, Mrs. John Conway of Melrose, George H. Andrews of Melrose.

All of these are likely to die.

So great was the force of the explosion that all but 10 feet of the rear portion of the car was blown into small pieces, while windows within a radius of a quarter of a mile were shattered.

The immediate vicinity of the accident presented a fearful spectacle when those in the neighborhood reached the scene. The ground was strewn with legs, arms and other portions of the bodies of those who had been killed.

The car contained mostly men on their way to their homes in this city. The express wagon from which the box dropped was driven by Roy Fenton, who discovered the box had dropped off and rushed back to take it off the track, but before he got within 100 yards of the box the car came along and was blown up.

Fenton was taken into custody by the police.

OPERATES UPON HIMSELF.

Heroic Sacrifice of a Wabash Company Physician in Behalf of an Injured Employe.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Dr. C. H. Fisher, in charge of the Wabash camp hospital at Orleans, this county, operated on himself for blood poison yesterday. For nearly a week he suffered from a violent infection of the left foot and he had arranged to go to Washington, but was prevented by an accident to a Wabash man.

He then decided to operate on himself, and with the assistance of the nurses he cut from the instep to the toes down to the tendons and bone, without an anesthetic, gouging among the tissues, suffering agony for nearly a half hour while pursuing the work. The disease had extended to the knee. It is believed the operation will save the foot.

Pittsburghers Take 33d Degree.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—At today's session of the supreme council, northern jurisdiction of thirty-third degree Scottish Rite Masons, 68 candidates were raised to the thirty-third degree and admitted to the council. Among them were William M. Hamilton, George A. Howe and William S. Brown, Pittsburgh; Clarence J. Davis, Steubenville, O., and George Billow, Akron, O.

Earl of Yarmouth Sails.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The earl of Yarmouth and Vice Admiral Drury were among the passengers on the steamship Baltic today. The earl is to join his wife, who is now at her mother's (Mrs. Thaw) summer home at Cresson, Pa.

200 Miners Strike.

WHEELING, W. VA., Sept. 21.—Two hundred miners struck at Ginther, O., this morning because the Pittsburgh Block Coal Company did not pay yesterday and because a checkweighman was discharged

KING PETER WEARS CROWN OF SERVIA

Coronation Services in Cathedral at Belgrade—American Refuses a Decoration.

WILL BE GIVEN RULER'S PHOTO

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BELGRADE, SERVIA, Sept. 21.—Peter Karageorgevitch was crowned king of Servia today. There were no hostile demonstrations and no attempt to carry out the numerous threats against the new king's life. The murder of King Alexander, Queen Draga and their adherents was at least outwardly forgotten.

Here and in every garrison town of Servia the dawn of day was marked by a salute of 21 guns and before the sun was well up King Peter, on horseback, rode to the cathedral at the head of a brilliant procession, through the troop-lined streets. Behind the soldiers were packed dense crowds of people. The royal heralds, cavalry and life guards, and carriages with the Montenegrin and Servian princesses, preceded the monarch. Beside King Peter rode his two sons, George and Alexander. The representatives of the foreign powers, the cabinet ministers and others were present in the cathedral. As King Peter entered, the metropolitan consecrated him and more artillery salutes were fired. The king then took up his position under a canopy and the metropolitan assisted by many bishops and other clergy performed the coronation ceremonies, which lasted three hours.

Wearing the crown on his head and fully robed the king left the cathedral, remounted his horse and rode through the crowded streets to the palace. There, in the grand festal hall, King Peter received the congratulations of the diplomatic corps and others, and ascended the royal throne and homage was paid him. The Italian minister greeted King Peter in the name of the triple alliance, while the Russian, Roumanian and Greek ministers handed his majesty personal letters from their sovereigns. The clergy then passed before the throne and bowed to the king, as did the members of the skupstina and others. The king was obliged now and again to lift his heavy crown, which weighs four kilos, and rest his head.

King Peter offered the American minister, Mr. Jackson, the Karageorgevitch star, which he presented to all the other ministers, as a souvenir of the coronation. As Mr. Jackson was unable to accept the star his majesty will present him with his photo and autograph.

A partial amnesty decree has been promulgated.

THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT HAS TWO DEADLOCKS

Democratic Conferees Lock Horns Apparently as Tightly as Republican Opponents.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., Sept. 21.—Republican conferees of the Thirty-third district are still deadlocked over the nomination of a state senator, with no prospects of a break. Another attempt to reach an agreement was made here again today, and after taking 20 fruitless ballots it was conceded that no nomination would be made.

On every ballot the Franklin conferees voted for Senator Alexander Stewart and the Huntingdon men for Allen S. Welch. Senator Penrose wants Stewart nominated, but Welch refuses to step aside. Both candidates insist that if they fail to secure the district nomination they will go on the ballot by nomination papers.

A meeting of the Democratic conferees also was held here this evening, at which the Huntingdon men voted for ex-Senator Henry J. McAteer of Huntingdon and the Franklin men for Sheriff James McPherran of Chambersburg. McAteer says he will not yield to Franklin, and unless Franklin gives way to Huntingdon there will also be a Democratic deadlock. The Democratic state managers want McAteer nominated. He carried the district in a triangular contest in 1884. Failing to agree on a candidate the conferees adjourned till Monday afternoon.

At 10:30 tonight the Republican conferees adjourned until 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

New College Thrown Open.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—The new Davis and Elkins college, at which both sexes will be taught, was formally opened at Elkins, W. Va., today. It was largely endowed by ex-Senator Henry G. Davis and his son-in-law, Senator Stephen B. Elkins, who gave $100,000.

ALEXIEFF IS ALSO BLAMED

Is Held Partly Responsible for the Failure of Gen. Orloff.

KEPT OLD SOLDIER BACK

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, Sept. 21.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Tageblatt, apparently inspired by the Russian war department, puts the blame for Gen. Orloff's failure to hold the Yen-Tai coal mines equally upon Viceroy Alexieff and Gen. Orloff. The correspondent says:

"Alexieff detained Orloff on trivial pretexts, so that he reached the mines at noon on September 1, wholly uninformed as to the situation. Gen. Samsonoff transmitted to him Gen. Kuropatkin's strict order to hold the mines at all costs, but when Orloff heard the cannonading in the direction of Sykwantun, he marched toward that place, leaving Samsonoff alone to hold the mines.

"Gen. Kuroki fell upon the left flank half an hour afterward. Orloff was not possessed of a single cavalryman, and was completely surprised. His troops, composed mainly of reservists who had been long out of service, were uncontrollable and broke, going in the direction of Yen-Tai instead of back to the mines. Gen. Kuropatkin personally led the First Siberian corps to the support of the hard-pressed Samsonoff."

WOMAN FOUND GUILTY OF FIRST DEGREE MURDER

Jury Returns a Verdict Against Mrs. Simpson, Who Killed Miss Friedline.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SOMERSET, Sept. 21.—Mrs. Carrie A. Simpson, colored, was today convicted of murder in the first degree for the killing of Miss Minnie Friedline, postmistress at Boswell, whom she suspected of receiving attentions from her husband, although there is said to have been no grounds for her suspicions.

The jury at first returned a verdict of guilty as charged in the indictment, but the judge declared they must find the degree of the crime. Attorney Ruppel, for Mrs. Simpson, had the verdict filed. The jury, having gone to the jury room and returned, reported a verdict of murder in the first degree.

The prisoner started up from her chair and screamed and shrieked and wept. Gen. Coffroth had the jury polled, but there was no change in the result. Then Attorneys Coffroth and Ruppel asked for the usual time in which to file an application for a new trial.

MURDER IS SUSPECTED.

Man's Necktie Found Near Where Bodies of Kehrer Sisters Were Discovered.

BUCYRUS, O., Sept. 21.—Citizens of New Winchester, near here, are investigating the case of Misses Mary and Lizzie Kehrer, who were found dead on the Ohio Central railroad tracks yesterday. The women were supposed to have committed suicide. It is now believed they were murdered and their bodies placed on the track.

Their breakfast was found prepared in their farm house and a man's necktie was found on the track near where the bodies were found.

PITTSBURGH MAN DYING.

John Blessinger, a Drug Clerk, from This City Took Dose of Chloral.

SCRANTON, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—John Blessinger, who came here from Pittsburgh recently and engaged as a drug clerk in Harris' pharmacy, is dying at the Lackawanna hospital tonight from a dose of chloral. Whether taken with suicidal intent is unknown. Blessinger has been going under the name of Harry Jones.

GEN. KUROKI AT YEN-TAI

Russians Prepare Stoutly to Defend the Coal Mines There.

FIGHT AT DA PASS

Czar's Cavalry, Aided by Machine Guns, Defeat Enemy's Flanking Movement.

TROOPS POURING TO FRONT

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—Gen. Kaulbars, who is to command one section of the Russian army in Manchuria has been in conference with the chiefs of the general staff for the past few days. Plans for the campaign next spring have been discussed.

Kaulbars will have an audience with the czar within a few days, and after that he will arrange to start for Harbin. Troops are now being sent forward at the rate of near 3,000 daily. This number will be increased largely when the circum-Baikal road is in operation, which will not be later than October 1. The rolling stock on the trans-Siberian road is constantly being increased both by drafts from other Russian lines and by new cars and engines purchased in Germany and the United States.

Much of this is being sent beyond the Baikal so that both the railroad and the ferry can be used in the transportation of troops and supplies. Soon there will be facilities for the transporation of 150,000 troops to the front monthly.

The average winter temperature in Manchuria is 40 degrees below zero. The cold is intensified by continual winds, and an almost entire absence of snow. In spite of this, however, the campaign probably will continue during the winter if the Japanese succeed in getting into Mukden. In this contingency Gen. Kuropatkin for various reasons will not be likely to allow the Japanese to remain in undisturbed possession of this point, which is important not only from a strategic but from a political point of view.

Fight at Da Pass.

Gen. Kuropatkin, telegraphing under yesterday's date, describes an outpost fight Tuesday at Da pass, half way between Bentsiaputze and Sin-Tsin-Tin, and 50 miles southeast of Mukden. A Japanese force, consisting of four companies, tried to capture the pass and turn the Russian left flank. The turning movement was checked by Russian cavalry, supported by machine guns.

The reports that Gen. Kuroki had crossed the Hun river at Fushun turns out to be false. The Russians strongly hold the road to Fushun and Bentsiaputze.

The emperor has decided that his crack guard regiment shall be represented at the front, and today ordered that contingents from each of these regiments shall go to the far east. In addition to the two Russian corps already mobilizing, seven other corps are to be called to the colors.

The official returns issued up to date of the casualties among the Russian officers at the battle of Liao-Yang show them to be 465 killed or wounded, including six generals and 30 field officers. Eighty other officers were killed, 372 were wounded, and 13 are missing.

Russians May Defend Yen-Tai.

GEN. OKU'S HEADQUARTERS IN THE FIELD, via Fusan, Tuesday, Sept. 20.—(Delayed in Transmission.)—The Japanese are slowly pushing northward. The outposts are in touch near Yen-Tai. The Russians are gathering a force at Yen-Tai, preparatory to making a strong stand for the protection of the coal mines. The Japanese are rapidly changing the gauge of the railroad from Niuchwang, and probably it will be in operation to Liao-Yang in a fortnight. They are rushing forward supplies of ammunition.

PARIS, Sept. 21.—A dispatch to the Temps from Mukden, dated yesterday, says:

"Russians executed reconnaissances Monday, which developed that the main army of the Japanese is about 22 miles southeast, under Gen. Kuroki, with two divisions at Yen-Tai. The Japanese junks turned back after succeeding in getting up the Liao-Yang almost to Sin-Min-Tin. A great battle is expected along the Hun river, which fronts both sides."

LITTLE BROWN SOLDIERS ARE ALWAYS GENTLEMEN

Dr. Anita McGee Denies Charges of Hypocrisy Against Them—Praises the Russians Also.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Reports that the Japanese, for effect, have been hypocritical in their kind treatment of Russian wounded is denied in a letter received by Washington friends from Dr. Anita McGee, who is in charge of the Red Cross work with the Russian army. Dr. McGee declares that no matter from what part of Japan the little soldiers come, they are gentlemen.

Dr. McGee does not confine her praises to the Japanese. She says while the members of her party were quartered in the Korean town of Yongampho, the Russian brought them wood a distance of 100 miles, and sawed it at a mill for them before they continued their flight from the pursuing Japanese regiments.

DALZELL WILL MAKE TWO PENNSYLVANIA SPEECHES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Representative John Dalzell has been assigned by Chairman Penrose to speak at Williamsport on October 8, and at East Liberty, Pittsburgh, on October 22. The Pennsylvania state committee would like to secure all of Mr. Dalzell's time until election, but he has promised to divide it with the congressional campaign committee and will make a tour under Chairman Babcock's direction.

PROSPERITY THE KEYNOTE

Mr. Fairbanks Formally Accepts Nomination for Vice Presidency.

NOT AN EXPERIMENT

Principles of the Republican Party Have Stood the Actual Tests.

NATION'S NAME RESPECTED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 21.—The letter of United States Senator Charles W. Fairbanks, accepting the Republican nomination for the vice presidency, which was made public today, is as follows:

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 21, 1904.

The Hon. Elihu Root, Chairman of Notification Committee.

My Dear Sir:

In accordance with the promise made when you formally notified me of my nomination for vice president, I avail myself of this opportunity to submit to you and through you, to my fellow citizens, some further views with respect to the questions in issue before the people.

The principles which are so frankly and felicitously expressed in the platform adopted by the Republican national convention, meet with my heartiest approval. In the main they have been subjected to the test of actual experience and have been found to be well suited to our industrial and national needs. They have brought us to a high state of material development, and have made the nation's name respected among the powers of the earth.

The utterances of political parties must be interpreted in the light of that practical construction which they have put upon them when intrusted with power. It is not alone what they say, but what they will do which should weigh in determining their capacity to administer public affairs.

The Safe and Sane Policy.

We have had two administrations in the last seven years which have been governed by the same policies. We may consult the trade reports in vain to discover when the one ended and the other began. Both were obliged to make vast expenditures for much needed public works. The rapidly expanding needs of the government business must be met. The national equipment must keep pace with our national growth, yet always with due regard to the principles of sound economy in public expenditure. We have pursued no parsimonious policy on the one hand nor indulged in extravagance on the other. We have measured the public expense by the public necessity.

The convention did well in its hearty commendation of the administration of President Roosevelt. This is sharply challenged by the opposition. We accept the issue with confidence. The president assumed the responsibilities of chief executive with a pledge to carry out the policy of his beloved and lamented predecessor. He kept the cabinet of President McKinley, composed of statesmen of eminent ability, in whom the country placed entire confidence. He carried forward the uncompleted work faithfully and successfully. The pledge has been kept scrupulously; the promise has been fulfilled. Peace and good order have been maintained. Domestic and foreign trade have increased and relations of amity have been preserved with foreign powers.

Our Foreign Treaties.

The foreign policy of the administration has been conservative, just and firm, and has made for the advancement of peace. Time and events have given us a larger place in international affairs. While we have enlarged our foreign commerce, we have increased our prestige abroad, not with the sword, but with the peaceful agency of enlightened diplomacy.

Thirty treaties have been concluded and proclaimed and stand to the credit of the administration. Some of these are of far-reaching importance. Among the number are the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, superseding the Clayton-Bulwer convention, which stood in the way of the construction of an isthmian canal, the Panama canal treaty, the Alaskan boundary treaty, and commercial treaties with China and Cuba.

Events in the far east suggest the wisdom and necessity of a continuance of the present foreign policy. We have maintained exact neutrality between Russia and Japan. At the beginning of the war between them they assented to the suggestion made by the administration, limiting the zone of hostilities. This tends to preserve the open door in the orient, so important and so much desired in the expansion of our commerce. It is the policy of the administration, predicated upon the soundest national prudence, to settle and remove by treaty, so far as possible, those international differences which lead to future friction.

World Relations Ideal.

We favor the adjustment of international disagreements by an appeal to reason rather than to arms. A great majority of the questions which arise between nations may, without compromising the national honor, be submitted to arbitration. The administration of President McKinley did well to aid in the creation of The Hague tribunal, and President Roosevelt is entitled to great credit for being the first to invoke its jurisdiction in the settlement of the Pious fund cases.

Our relations with the world were never better. We have avoided all entangling alliances, and, in the language of the eminent secretary of state, "We are without an ally and without an enemy."

The convention wisely declared in favor of "protection which guards and develops our industries," and that "the measure of protection should always at least equal the difference in the cost of production at home and abroad."

This principle was embodied in the platform of the convention which first nominated Abraham Lincoln, and it has continued to be one of the cardinal doctrines of the Republican party during the 44 years which have elapsed since then. It has become incorporated into the public law and has become the foundation of our industrial system. It has been regarded by the Republican party as a reasonable and appropriate exercise of the legislative power when imposing duties upon imports to discriminate in favor of American industries. This principle is dictated by a due regard for our enterprise and industry, and is founded upon the highest considerations of national interest.

Democracy and Tariff.

The Democratic convention which assembled at St. Louis denounced "protection as a robbery of the many to enrich the few," and favored a "revision and gradual reduction of the tariff."

The issue is thus distinctly made. It is by no means a new one, for while the Republican party has uniformly adhered to the policy of protection, the Democratic party has been consistent in its opposition. It has held to the doctrine of a revenue tariff, and during all the years of the contest has maintained that the protective system was opposed to good morals, in contravention of the Constitution and in violation of sound economics. The objections which are now urged against it are only a repetition of those which have found utterance for many years. The difference between the parties is radical and fundamental. It involves the principle of protection and not simply the measure of the duties to be laid.

A revision of duties should be made only when conditions have so changed that the public interest demands their alteration, and they should be so revised as to preserve and not destroy the protective principle.

Menace to Prosperity.

A revision and reduction by those who regard the tariff as a robbery must awaken serious apprehension among all whose capital is employed or who are engaged at labor in the various enterprises throughout the country, which depend in large measure upon the maintenance of the protective system. A revision of the tariff along revenue lines means the increased importation of the products of foreign manufacturers. It means a loss to the American wage-earners and to American capital. This is, therefore, not a theoretical question which is presented to them, but is one of immediate and practical moment. It can be settled by them, and by them only.

History abundantly shows the greatest industrial development of the country has occurred during the period when the protective has been maintained and that during this time labor has received its largest rewards and capital has been most profitably engaged.

Tariff Policy Vindicated.

The development of the country during the last 44 years is a complete vindication of the virtue and efficiency of a protective system. Its benefits have been diffused through all sections of the country and among all our people. It has enlarged our home market until it has become the greatest in the world. This we should not unnecessarily surrender. We have believed it to be a wise national policy to preserve the American market for American producers and to secure our workingmen an increased wage scale.

In 1860 the value of our exports and manufactures was $40,345,892. Twenty years later it was $102,856,015, and last year $452,-628. The pretension of its opponents that the protective tariff is inconsistent with the extension of our foreign commerce is thus denied by actual results. In considering the effect of the respective tariff policies of the Republican and Democratic parties, we are fortunately able to consult past experience. What a revenue tariff will accomplish we know, and embarrassed enterprise to the injury of both labor and capital. Neither escapes its blighting effects.

The Treaty With Cuba.

Commercial reciprocity with foreign countries "consistent with the principles of protection" has long been one of the well-recognized policies of the Republican party. The present administration, in the face of serious Democratic opposition, secured a treaty of reciprocity with Cuba, which promises to give us control of a large share of the commerce of that island.

Both Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt attempted to negotiate a treaty of reciprocity with Canada. That subject, together with the Alaskan boundary and other matters, were submitted to a joint high commission for consideration, but the differences which arose between the American and the British commissioners with respect to the boundary made it impossible for the commission to agree upon any of the remaining subjects submitted for its determination.

The American commissioners desired to remit the boundary dispute to the two governments and to proceed with the consideration of all other questions, including reciprocity, but the British commissioners declined to proceed further while the boundary remained undetermined. Subsequently the boundary commission was created and the boundary line has been settled, but no agreement has been reached for further consideration of the remaining questions embraced in the protocol. It is hoped that the two governments may be able to agree in due course to take up the subject of reciprocity with Canada according to the principles laid down in the Republican national platform.

Anti-Trust Legislation.

The platform appropriately recognizes combinations of capital and labor as the outgrowth of our economic development, and as entitled to the equal protection and subject to the like restrictions of the law.

The administration has enforced the Sherman anti-trust act, which was of Republican origin, in cases where combinations have been formed in violation of its provisions. The law, which was regarded as ineffective by a Democratic administration has been invoked by the president against combinations in restraint of wholesome commerce, and it has been upheld by the courts.

The congress last year enacted a law to expedite the hearing and determination of suits arising under the anti-trust and interstate commerce acts, so that the ends of justice might not be defeated by delay. It created the department of commerce and labor, with authority to obtain necessary information with respect to the creation and operation of corporations engaged in interstate commerce. It also amended the interstate commerce law so as effectually to abolish the pernicious sytem of rebates under which large shippers could crush their smaller competitors. These are important, practical steps taken by a Republican president and a Republican congress for the protection of the people against the encroachments of combined capital.

Democracy's Feeble Wail.

The Democratic party has done nothing towards safeguarding legitimate interests and restraining combinations effected for extortion or other improper purposes. It proposes as a principal remedy for unjust combinations to remove the tariff from trust-made goods, thereby inviting the foreign producer to occupy our home market in an attempt to regulate our own industries. It has assumed that the so-called trusts are either created or fostered by the tariff. The assumption is fallacious. Trusts are found in free trade countries and they control commodities in this country which are upon the free list.

The Republican party is more direct and rational. It does no strike down good and bad alike. It invokes the authority of congress and the power of the courts to deal with specific, well-defined combinations in restraint of the rights and interests of the people. It is as insistent upon the protection of capital employed in wholesome enterprise as in preventing its use in contravention of the public interests.

The convention very properly declared it, "to be the duty of the Republican party to uphold the gold standard." There is no more important duty than to maintain the stability and the character of the money of the people. Their manifold exchanges should be effected in a currency as free from blemish as the national integrity. The Republican party has been essentially the guardian of the financial credit of the country, and the steadfast supporter of sound currency. It has maintained the national credit and preserved the soundness of our monetary system against persistent and powerful opposition.

Our National Currency.

The money question has seemed to be settled at various times, but the contest has beeen revived by the enemies of sound money whenever they have thought that they might be successful. We should not relax our vigilance in upholding the integrity of our currency so long as a considerable element of our country are at war with it. When Democratic candidates cannot hope to win preferment in a national convention without industriously concealing their monetary views, and when Democratic national and state conventions dare not declare their faith in the virtue of the gold standard, the hour has not arrived when the forces of sound money should disband and leave the field.

We not only established the gold standard, but we provided such safeguards as will maintain our silver and paper currency at a parity with it. But all of this may be changed at any time by a hostile congress, or endangered by an unfriendly secretary of the treasury. Our past experience warns us that it is only a question of time when those who are always opposed to a sound monetary policy will again seek to overthrow it.

The Republican convention did well not only to pledge anew our fidelity to the gold standard, but to declare its purpose to uphold "the integrity and value of our national currency." There should be no equivocation or doubt as to our inflexible purpose, not only to maintain the gold standard, but to keep all silver and paper currency at a parity with it.

What Sound Money Means.

The assumption that the gold standard is "irrevocably established" does violence to the law. It was established by an act of congress, but the congress may alter, amend or repeal that act at any time. It is no more irrevocably established than are our tariff schedules. The one may be changed as readily as the other.

Sound money is so vital to our welfare, so important to our industrial development, that we should let its open enemies or negative friends know that we abate nothing of our determination to uphold and defend it.

Since 1896 we have improved the system as well as increased the volume of our currency. We have now in circulation $2,521,151,527, or $880,942,068 more than we had seven years ago. The increase has not been due alone to the larger yield of gold, for $262,059,559, or nearly 30 per cent of the increase, is composed of silver and national bank notes, which, under the Republican policy, are essentially the equivalent of gold.

If in the future the exigencies of business, which no wisdom can now foresee, should make additional monetary or financial legislation advisable, the Republican party may be intrusted to enact it along rational lines.

The Panama Question.

The president's course in Panama merits the most generous approval. He dealt with a delicate and difficult situation clearly within our national rights in such a way as to make possible the early completion of an isthmian canal, which has long been demanded in the interest of our commerce and the national defense.

He concluded the negotiations with Great Britain for the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. He negotiated a treaty with the republic of Colombia for the requisite rights and franchises for the construction and operation of a canal. Its ratification was contemptuously refused by the Colombian government. Thereupon the people of Panama renounced their allegiance to the parent government and declared their independence. The president, acting within the limits of his executive authority, and in conformity with well established precedent, promptly recognized their independence. He negotiated a treaty with Panama, whereby the United States obtained the necessary rights and franchises for building and operating the canal.

When the insurrection occurred upon the isthmus the president safeguarded American interests. He acted promptly but deliberately; prudently, not rashly; firmly, not unlawfully. He usurped no authority. He only exercised that executive power which is clearly vested in him by the Constitution and which his predecessors had employed under similar circumstances. If he had failed to appreciate our rights, or to act firmly and promptly, blood would have been shed and the rights of American citizens would have been sacrificed and the construction of the canal would have been indefinitely delayed.

The Far Off Philippines.

The president in due time appointed a commission composed of eminent engineers and men of practical experience to undertake the work of constructing the canal as speedily as practicable. There is no longer any doubt or uncertainty as to the enterprise. Its completion is now an assured fact, and it will stand as one of the memorable achievements of the new century.

The completion of this great work should be left to the administration which has done so much to carry it forward against formidable obstacles abroad and vexatious opposition at home.

The administration in the Philippines has been dictated by a broad sense of duty. It has not been subversive of our national ideals, but has been in conformity with the best traditions of the republic.

The archipelago came to the United States as a result of a war, and it became the duty of the administration to enforce the laws there as elsewhere, to maintain the national sovereignty and to inaugurate civil government. Before the insurrection had ceased President McKinley admirably expressed our purpose. He said:

McKinley's Policy Continued.

"No effort will be spared to build up the waste places desolated by war and by long years of mis-government. We shall not wait for the end of the strife to begin the beneficent work. We shall continue as we have begun, to open the schools and the churches, to set the courts in operation, to foster industry and trade and commerce, and in every way in our power to make those people whom Providence has brought within our jurisdiction feel that it is their liberty and not our power, their welfare, and not our gain, we are seeking to enhance. Our flag has never waived over any community but in blessing. I believe the Filipinos will soon recognize the fact that it has not lost its gift of benediction in its world-wide journey to their shores."

President Roosevelt has continued the work in the same just and generous spirit which inspired President McKinley.

Military rule was quickly succeeded by the civil authority. The people of the islands have been invited as fast as possible to participate in the work of government. The judicial system has been improved, corruption has been driven out, public schools have been established, and the people are already enjoying a large measure of self-government.

Congress has authorized a representative assembly to be chosen in due time by the people of the islands. The ballot box is not the sign of imperialism. No one need have any grave concern with respect to the future of the archipelago if the United States goes forward as heretofore, inspired by the same lofty purpose which has characterized the administrations of President McKinley and President Roosevelt. We may safely trust to the future to deal with the Filipinos in a manner consistent with their highest and best, and with the duty and honor of the United States.

Their Arguments Weak.

The people of the islands have had abundant evidence of the exalted purpose of the United States. The various degrees of civilization among them, their unfamiliarity with civic duties made it inadvisable to indulge in any declaration as to the future policies, which may lead to misunderstanding. The people of the Philippines do not distrust us. We need not distrust ourselves.

Our opponents say the Philippine policy does not pay. They should not forget that the United States did not go to war with Spain for dollars and cents. They should remember that when it comes to a matter of duty the United States does not consider the cost. When the history of our country is written it will be found that there is no brighter page, or one which will yield more pleasure and satisfaction in its contemplation than the one which tells of our discharge of the responsibilities growing out of the war with Spain. The archipelago belongs to the United States. Its title is vested in this government by virtue of the treaty of peace negotiated and ratified according to the requirements of the Constitution, and the responsibility of administration rests upon us, not as a matter of sentiment, but as a duty imposed by the obligations of the law.

Reclaiming of the Deserts.

The application of the proceeds of public land sales to the reclamation of irrigable portions of our arid and semi-arid public domain meets my cordial approval. Through the enlightened policy thus established under the present administration, the long-deferred hopes of the struggling settlers of the great arid and semi-arid west will be realized in the upbuilding of substantial communities in places hitherto waste or comparatively unproductive. At the same time a vast area of the public domain will be opened upon which the industrious homeseekers, now residing in over-crowded eastern centers, may find homes. The sum of over $20,000,000, now available in the reclamation fund, to which additions are constantly being made, guarantees, under the wise administration, great progress in the work of irrigation, and the settlement of the arid region within a few years.

The development of trade with the Orient promises to absorb the increased production of cereals in the far west, so as to leave the market conditions on the Atlantic seaboard undisturbed. The settlement of the present unproductive regions will open a new market for the manufacturers of the east.

Only by unduly extending this letter could I consider all the declarations embraced in the platform of the convention. Further reflection but strengthens my opinion of their wisdom and I shall give them my earnest support. We are gratified that sectional differences have disappeared and that a fraternal spirit pervades the people of all sections of our country. We rejoice in a national inheritance which is our common pride. Republican policies are as broad as our country's needs. They are neither sectional nor rascial in their generous design.

We are inspired with one high purpose, and that is, under divine guidance to promote peace and good order, virtue and knowledge, justice, patriotism and prosperity among our countrymen and to increase to the utmost the strength and honor of the great republic.

Very Respectfully yours,
CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS.

DAMAGED THREE STORES.

McKeesport Fire Started in One and Spread to Two Others—Loss $17,000.

Fire broke out in Finley & Co.'s dry-goods store in McKeesport last night and damaged goods and buildings about $17,-000. The fire started in the rear of the Finley store and spread to a building occupied by John Getz, a barber, and another occupied by Woolworth's five and 10-cent store. It was two hours before the firemen got the fire under control.

The following are the losses: Finley & Co., $10,000; Woolworth, $2,000; John Getze, $1,000; doctors and men occupying offices in the building, $400, and on buildings, $3,000.

DAVIS CONTRIBUTES $100,000 AND HIS BROTHER $50,000

CUMBERLAND, MD., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—It has been ascertained here from good authority that the contribution of ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, the vice presidential candidate, to the Democratic campaign fund, was $100,000, and that his brother, Col. Thomas Davis of Keyser, W. Va., contributed $50,000. Whether he will make an additional contribution to the fund later in the campaign is not known.

AMERICAN STEEL FOUNDRIES COMPANY BUYS A PLANT

FRANKLIN, Sept. 21. — (Special.)—Charles Miller, president of the American Steel Foundries Company, announced today that the company had purchased a controlling interest in the plant of the Commonwealth Steel Company of St. Louis, paying $2,000,000. The plant will be devoted to the manufacture of castings, for which there is a great demand. The company has more orders than it can fill.

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DRASTIC ACTION BY FREE CHURCH

Scottish Ministers Stop Salaries of Professors in Divinity Schools.

LITTLE SHOW OF SETTLEMENT

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The 28 ministers who, by a recent decision of the house of lords, obtained control of the vast funds of the Free church of Scotland, have taken drastic action which has surprised all Scotland by stopping the half yearly salaries of professors of divinity in Free church colleges. This action affects more than 60 professors. Among those are 16 with an average salary of $3,000 a year. Three colleges are concerned in this decision, located at Glasgow, Aberdeen and Edinburg, and attended by more than 800 students. It is stated that further striking developments are to follow and little hope of an amicable settlement is entertained. The 1,100 defeated ministers are utterly dismayed.

Nothing more has been heard of the proposed plan of settlement of the Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, of Princeton university.

WANT POLICE GUARD.

Officials of Damascus Bronze Company Fear Violence from Striking Workmen.

The Allegheny police were asked last night to protect the property of the Damascus Bronze Company in South avenue, where a strike has been on since last Monday. Supt. J. A. Brown of the company called at police headquarters and told Supt. Campbell that he feared violence.

According to Brown's story the company hired a skilled mechanic last Monday to do some work that required a man of expert ability. Attempts were made by the union men in the works to compel the man to join the union, which he refused to do.

About 20 of the 120 men employed by the company walked out and since then have been hanging about the place endeavoring to persuade or intimidate the other men to come out. The majority of those employed in the shop do not want to strike and it is to prevent probable trouble that the company asked for police protection.

BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE.

Merchants of West End, Sheraden, Ingram and Crafton Form Association.

Retail merchants of the West End, Sheraden, Ingram, Crafton and vicinity organized a Business Men's Protective association last night at a largely attended meeting in the West End auditorium. The object of the organization is to establish a reliable credit system, to guard against adulteration of foods and to encourage the co-operative purchasing system.

E. J. Spangler of the state association and H. C. McKelvey of the Pittsburgh association assisted in the organization. The following officers were elected: President, George F. Cronmiller; vice president, John King; secretary, William Horseface; treasurer, Frank Dietrich. The directors are to be appointed and a meeting of the body held every Monday night.

HAD QUIET MEETING.

Public Works Committee Recommends Shelterhouse in Riverview Park.

At a meeting of the public works committee of Allegheny councils last night, an ordinance providing for a change of location of the sidewalks at Sandusky and Ohio streets was negatived. A measure granting to Joshua Rhodes and William H. Latshaw the right to lay a switch across Pennsylvania avenue was ordered printed.

The ordinances authorizing the erection of a tank on Greentree hill, and a shelterhouse in Riverview park, were ordered printed as was the bill awarding to the C. P. Knapp company the contract to repair the city light plant at a cost of $33,472. A measure amending the wharf ordinance to the effect that $1 per foot front be charged for the lease of all unimproved wharf was recommended favorably.

GEN. BLAKELEY HONORED.

Is Made Chairman of Chickamauga Park Committee by Army of Cumberland.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 21.—The following committees were appointed today at the convention of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland:

Auditing, Col. Green Clay Goodloe, chairman; Gen. E. A. Carman, Chickamauga park, Gen. Archibald Blakeley, chairman; Capt. Z. C. Patten, Maj. W. F. Goodspeed, Capt. Millon Garrigus, Capt. H. S. Chamberlain, Gen. J. T. Wilder, Col. G. W. Steele. Historical, Gen. E. A. Carman, chairman; Gen. Gates P. Thornton, Gen. James H. Wilson, Gen. J. C. Breckenridge, Lieut. Edwin W. High, Col. M. H. Fitch, Sergeant Henry J. Aten, Capt. C. A. Cable, Capt. J. H. Sharrott, apt. G. W. Patten and Col. S. W. Fordyce.

WOMAN SAVES CHILD.

Etna Boy Sets Clothes on Fire, but Neighbor Uses Rug Well.

John Harrigan, 5 years old, was playing in Locust street, Etna, near his home yesterday, lighting paper with matches. A piece of the burning substance fell on his back and set fire to his shirt waist. The little fellow ran to the gate of his home screaming with pain and began fumbling at the latch.

Mrs. Mary Kurt, who lives across the street, saw the boy from her dining room window. She ran over and enveloping the child in a rug she had snatched up, extinguished the blaze. The boy was badly burned, but will recover.

Nominated Smith for Congress.

KITTANNING, PA., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The Democratic conferees for the district composed of Armstrong, Indiana, Clarion and Jefferson counties, met at the Alexander hotel, this place, today, and nominated A. L. Smith of Brookville, Jefferson county, for congress.

Parker to Sonfer With Guffey.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—It was announced tonight that Judge Parker will come to New York tomorrow. He will confer with Democratic leaders including James M. Guffey of Pittsburgh.

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JR. O. U. A. M. PRINCIPLES.

They Are Adopted by the New Order, Old Body Elects Officers.

ALTOONA, Sept. 21.—The second day's session of the Order of Independent Americans was filled with business. The convention adopted the principles of the Jr. O. U. A. M. The name of the state council of Pennsylvania, Order of Independent Americans, was adopted. The convention declared that all money and property held by the subordinate councils belonged to the councils and the members thereof and that the state council has no right, claim, interest or demand thereon whatsoever. This is the subject that caused the split from the old order. The officers nominated yesterday were elected, 193 votes being cast for each. Liquor dealers are admitted to the order. The officers were ordered to defend any suit brought by the Jr. O. U. A. M.

The state council, Junior Order United American Mechanics at Tyrone, elected the following officers: State councilor, E. C. Lafean, No. 115; state vice councilor, A. H. Leslie of N. 128; state council treasurer, John W. Calvert of No. 3; national representative, middle district, John H. Eby of No. 57. The recommendation to offer a United States flag to the council showing the greatest percentage of increase in membership next year was adopted. Eighteen cents per capita tax was agreed upon.

Man Killed by Gas Explosion.

FINDLAY, O., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—adjusting a valve on gas tank at the National refinery this afternoon, the gas exploded. Ellis Shaul was blown 100 feet in the air and instantly killed. Henry Hauman was so seriously injured that he will die.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Sailed Sept. 21.

New York—Teutonic, Liverpool and Queenstown; Koenigin Louise, Naples and Genoa; Neckar, Bremen.

London—Lancastrian, Boston.

Liverpool—Westernland, Philadelphia.

Queenstown—Majestic, New York for Liverpool, and proceeded.

Sailed Sept. 21.

New York—Cevic, Liverpool; Sicilian, Hamburg; Oceanic, Liverpool.

Liverpool—Baltic, New York via Queenstown.

Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm II., from Bremen and Southampton, New York.

Queenstown — Carpathia, Liverpool, New York.

Dover—Moltke, Hamburg, New York.

Liverpool—Silvania, Boston.

London—Cambrian, Boston.

Southampton—Kaiser Wilhelm II., Bremen, New York via Cherbourg.

Passed Sept. 21.

Lizard—Ryndam, New York for Rotterdam.

DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED.

Old Board Will Manage the Affairs of the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—At the annual meeting of the members of the Associated Press today, the following directors were re-elected:

Albert J. Barr, Pittsburgh Post; Clark Howell, Atlanta Constitution; Charles W. Knapp, St. Louis Republic; Frank B. Noyes, Chicago Record-Herald, and M. H. DeYoung, San Francisco Chronicle.

William R. Nelson of the Kansas City Star was elected to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term due to the resignation of William D. Brickell of the Columbus (O.) Dispatch.

Coming to America on Cheap Rate.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 21.—The White Star line steamer Baltic, which sailed today, took over 2,000 $10 emigrants, and many were left behind for lack of accommodation. The American line steamer Merion was full up with the last $10 batch for Philadelphia. Scandinavians predominated, but there was a fair sprinkling of British emigrants.

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AVENUE—Harry Davis' stock company in "Are You a Mason?" 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"The Policy Players," presenting "The Bogus Prince," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"A Prisoner of War," 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—"Buster Brown," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

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5,000 Single Tulips, named varieties, 3c each, 25c a dozen.

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5,000 double (La Conduer), 2c each, 20c a dozen.

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Large new Fall and Winter lines in.

Merino (cotton and wool mixed) Shirts or Drawers, 50, 75c and $1.00—Grey and Brown—see the unusual merit for $1.00—generally sold for $1.25.

Wool Shirts or Drawers, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $4.00—Natural, Camel's Hair and White—regular and stout drawers.

Heavy Cotton Shirts and Drawers, 50c, $1.00 and $1.50.

Heavy Cotton Union Suits, $1.00, $1.25 and $2.00.

Worsted Union Suits, $2.50, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00—mostly wool slightly mixed with cotton to prevent shrinking.

Dermophile strictly all wool Shirts and Drawers, won't shrink—light weight, $3.00 a garment—heavy weight, $4.00.

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Largest assortments and choicest styles ever shown here.

Prices to get business.

New lot of the celebrated "Viyella" Flannels—new designs in Jacquard weaves and stripes, 75c.

Plain French Flannels for Waists—all the desirable shades, 40 and 50c.

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New Scotch Flannels, stripes and Jaquard effects for shirts, shirtwaists and children's dresses, 25, 35, 45 and 50c.

New Flecked Flannel Waistings — plain colors in Blue, Brown, Tan, Garnet and Black with woven white flecks, 35c.

50,000 yards Flannelettes for night robes, pajamas and ladies' and children's underwear, 5, 6¼, 7½, 8 1-3, 9 and 10c a yard—extra good ones at 6¼ and 7½c.

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First Autumn Assignment.

NO MERCY SHOWN BY PARDON BOARD

Petition in Behalf of Baker Assailants Refused for Second Time.

NOT ONE CASE SUCCEEDS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
HARRISBURG, PA., Sept. 21.

Five convicts, serving 10 years in the Pottsville jail for a crime for which another convict has sworn he and several others, none of whom are now in jail, are guilty, were today refused pardons for the second time by the board of pardons. These convicts are John Carson, William Murphy, Patrick Murphy, William R. Martin and Frank Green.

The prisoners were convicted of robbing and assaulting aged Jacob Baker and his wife on their farm near Pottsville in December, 1900. Each was sentenced to 10 years in prison and to pay a fine of $600. Dennis Grummel, who is serving a long term in the Eastern penitentiary for robbery, some time ago made a sworn confession that the five men are innocent, and that he and five others committed the crime.

The board refused to pardon the convicts on the ground that Grummel's testimony was not corroborated.

The case of Samuel Greason, the alleged negro accomplice of Mrs. Kate Edwards, the Berks county murderess, was held under advisement. The board was in session all day, but refused to grant a pardon. Beside those mentioned, other cases heard were John Ganas and Paul Mendas, Allegheny, felicious assault and battery; John Lydick and William A. Moore, Indiana, burglary and larceny, and Albert Dabrydino, Allegheny, first degree murder.

The application for a rehearing in the case of August Troutwein, Armstrong, first degree murder, was held under advisement.

The case of Dusan Melic, Allegheny, first degree murder was held under advisement. The case of J. R. Dingman, Venango, larceny, is continued, and that of Thomas Marks, Allegheny, misdemeanor, was stricken from the list.

The board withdrew its recommendation in the case of William J. Byers, the Pittsburgh murderer, for a commutation of sentence to life imprisonment, for the reason that the record in the case is incomplete. Since last March the case has been in the hands of Gov. Pennypacker, who has made a careful examination of all the papers relating to it.

It is certain that if the board had not withdrawn its recommendation the governor would have non-concurred, as he did in the case of Alphonso Cutavar, Jr., of Philadelphia, the murderer of the wife of Jimmy Logue, the famous Philadelphia burglar. The board's action in the Byers case was taken on the urgent recommendation of ex-District Attorney Haymaker of Allegheny county, by whom Byers was convicted.

GOOD MATCH FOR JEFFRIES.

Tunnel Street Negress Whips Two Deputy Sheriffs and an Installment Agent.

If James Jeffries will withdraw his color line decision, Tunnel street has a negress which it will back against him for a little while. With easy grace she whipped Deputy Sheriffs Ed Swartwood and Harvey Lowrey, and threw Installment Agent William Knoch bodily from her home, last Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Randolph is the black Amazon. She purchased a phonograph from Knoch some time ago. He alleges she did not pay for it and secured a writ of replevin. Armed with this, he went to the house, at 42 Tunnel street, accompanied by the deputy sheriffs. Mrs. Randolph grabbed Knoch and threw him bodily out of the house and down a flight of steps.

She then turned her attention to Swartwood and Lowrey and speedily convinced them they were out of their class, and they fled for their lives. An information was made by Knoch before Alderman John Groetzinger and the negress was arrested on a charge of assault and battery. The woman is a giant in size and weight.

Elmore Caught a Pickpocket.

Detective William Elmore last night arrested James Costello of Philadelphia, said to be a well-known pickpocket, at Ninth street and Penn avenue. Costello had a companion who escaped. He gave his occupation as a baker and said he was 22 years old.

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LONDONER SENDS SOHO BATH PLANS

Architect Submits Designs for New Public Institution in Fifth Avenue.

COMMITTEE READY FOR WORK

Plans proposed for the Soho public baths have been received from a well-known London architect. They will be submitted to the public baths committee at its next meeting, Friday morning, September 29. Next week the work of considering the plans and raising the money with which to meet the appropriation of the city for the erection of the building will be taken up in earnest, and a vigorous campaign will be carried on this fall and winter. Before the committee held its final meeting early in the summer plans were submitted by several local architects, with further estimates to be presented at the first meeting this fall.

The plans which have just come from London call for a handsome structure on the site at 2414 Fifth avenue, and are modeled after similar institutions in Europe, whose best features have been incorporated into the new drawings. One of the most notable features is a circular swimming pool for men surrounded by the baths, with a similar swimming pool and baths for the women.

In the specifications are included baths, both tub and shower, for men and women, rest and reading rooms, and in the rear portion of the building, which is below the level of Fifth avenue, a swimming pool to be fitted up with dimensions not less than 35x75 feet. It is intended to make the swimming pool most complete in every respect, and to have it filled with constantly running water. There will also be wash rooms and drying rooms, which will be placed at the service of the women of the Soho district at a nominal charge.

The site in Fifth avenue was purchased for $15,000, and adjoins that of St. Agnes' Roman Catholic church. Between the two is an alley, four feet wide, which the women propose to keep open for communication between Fifth avenue and Forbes street, thus affording easy access to the baths building from both thoroughfares. The city appropriated last spring $25,000, which the women of the Civic club of Allegheny county and the permanent civic committee hope to treble, expecting to expend at least $75,000 in the erection of the building.

Ways and means of raising the $50,000 will be discussed next week.

PRESIDENT ENDS SUMMER VACATION

Mr. Roosevelt and Family Will Leave Oyster Bay for Washington Today.

HE WILL RETURN TO VOTE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Sept. 21.—President Roosevelt and Mrs. Roosevelt took their last horseback ride today through the village of Oyster Bay for the summer, leaving as they do tomorrow for Washington. The president and wife came in on a gallop from over the hill toward the summer White House, both laughing at each other as they dashed through the streets. It was a merry scene, and impulsively the Oyster Bay citizens who chanced to be in the street at the time cheered and shouted: "Hurrah for the president of the United States."

President Roosevelt and the entire family will sail tomorrow morning aboard the government yacht, the Sylph, for Jersey City, where they will take a train for Washington.

The president will come back to Oyster Bay to vote. He will not tarry in the town, however, more than an hour, and will return the same night to Washington, where he will receive over private wires the returns from the election in various states.

Frank W. Higgins, Republican nominee for governor of New York, was a visitor today at Sagamore Hill, and he and President Roosevelt talked for several hours over the outlook for the success of the Republican party in New York. Mr. Higgins was accompanied by Jacob Riis, whom President Roosevelt has termed the ideal American citizen, and who has written many books and stories laudatory of the president.

Celebrated Wooden Wedding.

Chief Clerk William Morris of the Hotel Anderson celebrated the fifth anniversary of his marriage with a wooden wedding last evening, at his home, 31 Faris street, Allegheny. The attaches of the hotel remembered Mr. and Mrs. Morris handsomely with numerous presents appropriate to the occasion. After a pleasant reception and dinner the guests present enjoyed themselves in dancing until a late hour. Mr. Morris is one of the most popular men in the hotel business in Pittsburgh and he had no lack of friends to assist him in celebrating this joyous occasion.

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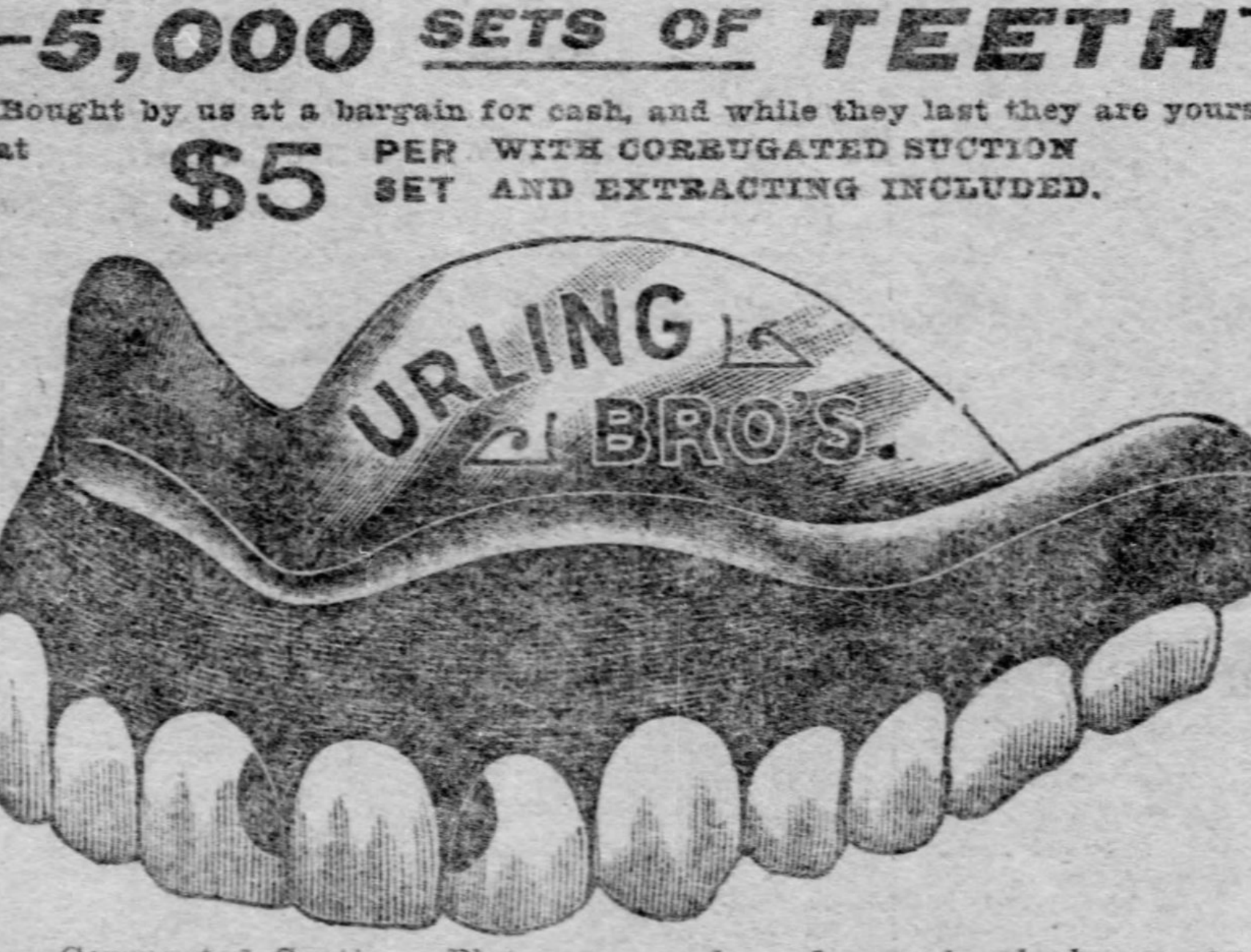

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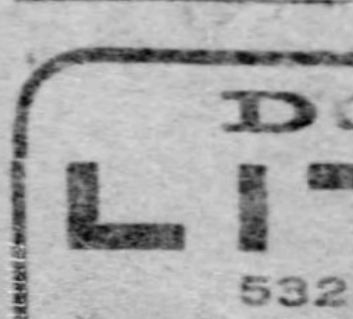

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Thursday, September 22, 1904.

Women's Autumn Wear Waists---Flannel, Mohair, Silk-and-Wool, Together With Golf Vests and Blouses.

The Autumn waists for women are shown in limitless variety of materials. Solid color, fancy and plaid silks, plain and novelty mohairs, foreign Flannels and Wool mixtures of different weights and patterns, which have been especially designed for the separate waists.

French models and American models side by side, pleasing, inexpensive designs and aristocratic styles, severe tailor waists and fussy, Frenchy, elaborate ones. Blouses, as the foreign makers term them. They are expressive of every new idea in garniture, whether applied to trimming or tucks and pleats used in original ways.

The Waists—

At $1.50. Waists of black mohair. Front trimmed with large and small tucks to form yoke—two small tucks in back—full sleeve—self stock—lined throughout.

At $2.00. Waists of henrietta cloth, front made with six small pleats on each side and double box pleat down center. Pleated back—full sleeve—self-covered buttons. Colors navy, black, brown and cardinal.

At $3.00. Waists of brilliantine—front has twelve pleats running from shoulder to waist—four pleats down the back—new sleeve with pointed cuff—fancy stock. Shown in navy and black.

At $5.00. Waists of fancy silk and wool striped materials—full tucked front—plain black—full sleeves—black silk stock and tie.

At $7.50. Waists of albatross hand-embroidered with polka dots. Full tucked front—tucked back—fancy stock. White, lavender, light blue, red, navy and white.

So many silk waists that we forbear to describe any, simply ask you to see them.

Men's Golf Jackets, Hunting Jackets and Flannel Shirts.

These Knitted Jackets come from the finest and best manufacturer of men's goods in America. They are shown with either knitted or silk sleeves, and are a delightfully warm garment. $7.00, $8.50 and $11.50.

Some men like Flannel Shirts for cold weather wear—others find it necesary to wear flannel for the sake of warmth. In either case it will pay to buy a good shirt, as quality in Flannel shirts goes a long way. $2.50, $3.00, $3.50.

"Oh, the Beautiful New Neckwear!"

That's what one woman said to another by way of comment on some of the new neckwear for women. And we hear like remarks every day. Woman, with her acknowledged fondness for dress, is apt to grow enthusiastic when the subject is dainty garniture for the neck. And it doesn't matter how recently you've gone over our stock of neckwear, there's sure to be something novel and pretty that has been added since.

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Imported hand-embroidered linen and mull stocks—some very handsome styles in this lot. 75c to $6.00.

Fashionable fancy crepe Scarfs—white, pink, blue and black. $2.00 and up to $6.00.

New twice-around Silk Ties—white or colors—75c to $2.00.

Imported Collar and Cuff Sets—hand embroidered on heavy or sheer linen. $1.75 and up to $8.00 a set.

Imported hand-embroidered Linen Collars—many new styles—50c to $1.50.

Opening of New Bric-a-Brac and Art Wares.

Day by day now for weeks past we have been opening up and preparing for the public gaze new importations of Bric-a-Brac, Art Potteries and China. We feel that we have now ready such a showing of new things in this large third floor department as will attract the connoisseur. Even the veriest amateur in such matters will take pleasure in looking over such a collection of beautiful things. Imported—yes, gathered from every quarter of the globe.

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New Normandy and Point d'Paris Laces.

There is not another line we know of in which an early selection—meaning selection while assortments are broadest—plays so important a part as in laces. When style after style is spread out before one, if one has in mind some particular design, there should be no trouble in getting it. Whereas, if one has to ask for a particular pattern, it is often rather confusing to all parties concerned.

One of the newest numbers which deserve particular mention is a shipment of Normandy Valenciennes and Point d'Paris Laces and Insertions—the kind that usually sell from 15c to 30c a yard, but our price is 5c, 10c and 15c a yard.

The Golf Vests and Blouses—

Women have come to consider these as a necessary part of their wardrobes. A warm wool vest enables one to wear the lightest of waists and it adds smartness to one's outfit to show a touch of bright color peeping forth from the open jacket front.

Only a golf player knows all the virtues of the wool blouse, but many women who never "holed a ball out" like them very much indeed as a light weight wrap.

At $2.50. Golf Vests of green worsted overshot with small black dots—double breasted, finished with mohair braid—silk-covered buttons.

At $3.00. Golf Vests of fancy woven woolens in solid colors—double-breasted. Finished with white pearl buttons.

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Nominations were made and platforms proclaimed by the Allegheny county Democracy yesterday. There is nothing in the platforms to recommend the candidates to the suffrages of Allegheny county voters and nothing in the personnel of the candidates that would suggest their preferment over the Republican candidates for the same offices. The Democrats, of course, do not expect to win anything, but they feel called upon to put up candidates in order to preserve their organization for future use. There are a few places reserved for the minority party and to secure these for the faithful it is necessary to have the means of demonstrating the faith. Mr. Brennen can attend to all of the other details.

At the convention of the Republican League clubs at Reading will occur the formal opening of the Republican speaking campaign in this state. There will be addresses by orators of acknowledged ability and some of national repute. After that meetings will be held in every county, as usual, and while none of these things is essential to party success at the polls this fall they are right and proper. They aid in keeping alive the sense of citizenship among the people, reminding them that they have a duty to perform in return for their sovereign privileges. Moreover, the stump serves to make the voters acquainted with their candidates and to give them an idea of their qualifications for office.

In arguing that homesickness causes most of the desertions from the army an officer suggests that recruits be taken on probation at first and not finally accepted as privates until they have been taught that the life of a soldier is largely disagreeable routine. This officer thinks that the average man enlists on impulse rather than after mature deliberation, so he would try to knock the romance out of the applicant before he gave him an opportunity to decide whether he wanted to stay permanently in the service. If this probationary period were established its tendency would be to thin out many who ask to wear the uniform. It is a question, moreover, whether the removal of all illusions would not seriously impair the success of the recruiting officer.

There is little sense in the outcry of certain Democrats that the precautions taken to guard the person of President Roosevelt suggest the military protection of monarchs. The warning which the murder of two presidents by irresponsible cranks afforded should have been accepted long ago, but chief executives have generally disliked military escorts. Perhaps the most extreme measure ever employed in this country to provide against the possibility of such assault was the attempt to line with uniformed patrolmen the New York city streets through which President Roosevelt passed on his way to Oyster Bay. Such a display of force is to be avoided on his return to Washington today, for he is to be taken to Jersey City from his Long Island home by water. This will be a safer method, besides being less spectacular.

If our young army officers have to let the war department decide when they can afford to support a wife before they can marry, the custom will be a discrimination in favor of the rich, hardly consistent with democratic ideas. The inference Gen. Corbin makes in recommending this regulation is that the officers will be more likely to be honest if they are not tempted to live beyond their means by the demands of a family. But matrimony has been regarded as an incentive to economy. Difficulties in transportation makes it necessary to forbid the enlistmen of married men as privates. This rule is impartially enforced and no exceptions on account of wealth should be made if it is extended to include the lower grades of officers. The evils from class distinction are too apparent in the English army to allow favors in proportion to wealth among American officers.

Pennsylvania men are to manage the new Civic association, which is the amalgamated product of the American League for Civic Improvement and the American Park and Outdoor Art association. Since the retirement of Charles Mulford Robinson, the well-known writer on civic aesthetics, from the position of secretary, the executive work of the organization is to be conducted by Clinton Rodgers Woodruff of Philadelphia. The president of the association is J. Horace McFarland, another resident of Pennsylvania, who has been one of the chief promoters in in the plan for the betterment of Harrisburg. The consolidation of the improvement societies was not due to any decrease in the interest taken in their work, but rather to the desire to concentrate and economize labor, for both of them were undertaking similar lines of activity. There is a very general awakening in America in favor of preserving natural beauties and of improving the appearance of cities, whose growth has been ugly through neglect to maintain standards of good taste.

Fairbanks' Letter.

Senator Fairbanks' letter of acceptance, though short and to the point, is comprehensive enough. He sounds a keynote in the outset that will appeal to the common sense of the people, when he declares that issues advanced by political parties must be interpreted "in the light of that practical construction which they have put upon them when entrusted with power." By this test the Republican party has always been "safe and sane," while the Democratic party merely pretends to have abandoned its currency vagaries in order that it may obtain the opportunity to attack business interests in other directions.

Mr. Fairbanks discusses the tariff, Cuba, the "trust" legislation, the currency, Panama, foreign relations, the Philippines and irrigation. His familiarity with the conduct of the government enables him to point out in detail what has been accomplished by the positive policies of the Republican party in all of these matters, and the weakness of the negative Democratic opposition. He presents the record fairly and glories in the achievements of Republican government, which are many. In a word, he puts the Republican party to the test of the standard set forth above and is fully satisfied with the result, as he has reason to believe the American people also are.

The Democratic party has a record on but one of these questions that agrees with its platform utterances. It declares that "protection is a robbery" and when last in control of all branches of the government it attempted to destroy the protective system with disastrous consequences that are well remembered. In the matter of Cuba the Democrats in congress urged on the war and the party has ever since been opposing the measures thus rendered necessary and complaining of the cost. The "trusts" are denounced by the Democrats, but Democratic administrations failed to take any step for their regulation. That was left for a Republican administration applying a Republican law. The last Democratic administration did uphold the gold standard, with the aid of Republicans in congress, against the bitter protest of the Democratic majority and the policy was unanimously repudiated by two succeeding Democratic national conventions.

In the Panama matter Senator Gorman set up a Democratic opposition that was not indorsed by the party, but the platform creates an objection to the manner in which the business was transacted. That platform denounces the conduct of our relations with foreign governments, omitting to mention specific incidents, though the record shows that the United States was never more respected, never more highly esteemed and never treated with more friendly cordiality by the powers than at present. President Roosevelt has not by any act of his caused as severe a diplomatic strain as that occasioned by President Cleveland's Venezuela message, though he has upheld American doctrine and American rights with the same vigor. The Democrats have had no opportunity to show what they might have done in the Philippines, but Judge Parker's utterances on the subject indicate no material divergence from Republican policy except to make an immediate promise of complete independence to the Filipinos, well knowing it could not be fulfilled for a generation. His promise would create dissatisfaction and delay the time when the Filipinos may justly enjoy self-government. Thus by the just standard of Senator Fairbanks, that of "practical construction," the Democratic promises are meaningless, while those of the Republican platform are merely for a continuance of the wise and efficient conduct of government exemplified during the past seven and a half years.

A Fallow Field.

There is hardly any comparison to be made between the undeveloped resources of this country and Germany. Yet, as we pointed out the other day, Germany is our most active trade rival. Since 1880 Germany's exports of manufactures have increased $320,000,000 and our own have grown $350,000,000. That is a pretty close race. During the same period Great Britain has increased its exports of manufactures only $178,000,000, though a large leader at the start. The American growth is attributable in great part to marked advantage in crude resources. Germany has gone forward in spite of many handicaps by sheer force of economizing the resources at its command. It has been foremost among the nations in applying science to industry. In the single matter of chemistry it leads the entire world. Its chemical products form a very considerable item in its total commerce. These are in great part by-products incidental to other industries, and it is by their utilization that the German manufacturer is enabled to use high-priced raw material and yet compete with others who enjoy the advantage of cheap raw material.

America has undoubtedly led in the production of labor saving machinery and appliances. These have cheapened production in this country. The Germans, however, have been quick to adopt whatever they could use. They have been more apt in taking up with our machines than we have been in availing ourselves of their economical processes. Sir William Ramsay, the eminent English chemist, called forcible attention to this fact a few days ago in the course of an address in New York. He expressed unbounded admiration for American enterprise in conquering the wilderness, but was surprised that so little progress has been made in applying the lessons of pure science. In this field, he said, the United States is behind both England and Germany. He might have added France.

In part the slowness of the manufacturers of this country to take advantage of small economies is not a lack of enterprise, but is due to the larger enterprise essential to the development of gigantic crude resources. The telescope and the microscope each have their uses. Metaphorically speaking the American manufacturer has been working with the telescope, while his German competitor has been busy with the microscope. While the American engineer has been harnessing huge forces of nature and the American capitalist has been creating tremendous organizations to grapple with enormous problems, those of the older countries have been seeking new products and more economical methods. But the time has come in American affairs when more attention can be given to details. The time has arrived when American supremacy can be maintained only by the employment of higher technical skill and by bringing to the aid of superior energy the finer perceptions of exact science. That the American manufacturer was the first to realize this need is fully indicated by his cry, years ago, for better and more technical schools. That cry has been heard. Technical education is now receiving the first attention of a majority of our institutions for higher education. The American manufacturer will not long lag behind in the employment of science to find the way for him to make money.

Democratic Harmony in East.

The oft-repeated statement that Democrats can be relied on to do the wrong thing at a critical time is hardly borne out by the result of the convention at Saratoga yesterday, for the party reached the semblance of an agreement and named Judge D. Cady Herrick as candidate for governor. Although Judge Herrick has been hostile to Hill and has successfully thwarted that politician's ambition, it was Hill who presented his name for the nomination in a speech favoring party harmony. In its efforts to appear reasonable the convention went further and accepted the nominations made by the Republicans of a Democratic member of the court of appeals to be chief judge and a Republican to be his associate. Thus the party seems to accept the theory that the judiciary should be kept out of politics.

The compromise on the candidate for governor was a surprise even to experienced politicians, and it evidently took long conferences to bring it about. It was not believed Hill would be willing to make such a sacrifice, but he had been instrumental in naming the Democratic candidate for president and he could afford to be generous in selecting the man to run for governor of New York state. The fight at Saratoga had been a stubborn one, for the candidates were put forward by factions hostile to each other. The Republicans were making use of the unpopularity of Hill by calling Judge Parker his candidate in the hope of prejudicing the ticket. The state convention afforded the opportunity to show the public that Hill was not in such absolute control as he had been represented. It is probable that Judge Parker also realized that this was his opportunity to throw off the Hill incubus, so the influences brought to bear on the tricky boss must have been considerable.

Before the convention the Brooklyn Democracy was vigorously supporting the candidacy of Controller Grout for governor, while against him Tammany pitted Lawyer Shepard. Judge Parker was said to favor District Attorney Jerome, while Hill's personal choice was Stanchfield. The objections to all four candidates seemed insurmountable, neither the Tammany nor the Brooklyn factions being inclined to yield to each other, the labor element opposing Stanchfield and the entire New York machine Democracy refusing to reward such a vigorous prosecutor of criminals as District Attorney Jerome.

No doubt the Parker influence exerted itself over the long-distance telephone in favor of harmony which came about in such a surprising way. Hill's reputation in politics has been won by a succession of tricks, and if this act appears to be more commendable it is none the less selfish than its predecessors. Hill makes it possible for Democrats to assume in their usual role as opportunists, for they would have it appear that they had seized the opportunity and brought the warring factions together in favor of a judicial candidate supposed to be in sympathy with the "Constitution supporters." But the resurrection of an old warhorse like Herrick will hardly rally the independent elements which New York Democrats are hoping to reach in this campaign.

There is a popular proverb that "If opportunity were all forelock, Democrats would not get a hair." The New York state convention has done its best to exemplify the adage.

Gen. Corbin's advice to the subaltern officer about to marry may be good, but it might be suggested that advice against extravagant living would be a bit better.

When the New York Herald proposed to exchange a lot of judicial utterances for a trumpet owned by the late Rhoderick Dhu, did it refer to one Hornblower?

Russia's objection to the Tibetan treaty appears to be summed up in the complaint that it would have done the same thing if it had not been too busy.

Considering Judge Parker's record it is not to be wondered that the New York Democrats were attracted by the name of Hornblower.

Odd, isn't it, that the East End board of trade should imagine the traction syndicate would be glad to enlarge the system of transfers?

Judge Cady Herrick may not find himself in the midst of harmony, but can assist in raising the one-time popular product of Kansas.

In the matter of the grievance of the war correspondents against Japan it seems sufficient to say that it is Japan's war.

If the authorities are in doubt about the gambling rooms, how would it do to try a prosecuting investigation once?

Apparently the New York Democracy cannot escape from the habit of nominating judges for important offices.

Kuroki is again after Kuropatkin's coal pile and the Manchurian railroad may be soon in a bad way.

Old car shortage is in sight again.

Great Reception for Mr. Fairbanks.

The Republican candidate for vice president is doing energetic, effective and excellent campaign work and accomplishing valuable results. His addresses possess abundant variety, interest and force, and they are received enthusiastically wherever he goes.—New York Tribune.

Road to Bankruptcy.

Dame Fashion decrees that the leg-o'-mutton sleeve must be the thing for women this fall. If her vagaries had evolved a side-of-beef sleeve the bankruptcy courts might have to resort to a night shift of judges.—Baltimore Sun.

Regulating Sports.

We need sports in universities at north and south—but with them such restrictions and regulations as will prevent the defeat of the very end for which they were introduced.—Atlanta Constitution.

Would Bu'st the Machine.

"He would upset the entire organization if he were elected governor," says Mr. Hill of the Jerome boom. That hits the case exactly.—Buffalo Express.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Sounds of rejoicing are heard in Fourteenth street tonight, and, in fact, everywhere in the city where Tammany men congregate. For didn't Mr. Murphy turn the tables on Mr. Hill? It was Judge Parker and William F. Sheehan who really handed out the victory at Saratoga to Murphy, but if Murphy had not declared he would take his little blue dishes and go home if Grout were nominated the change would never have been made in the plans of the state leaders. And then McCarren was turned down, and that alone is enough to make the Tammany heart glad.

As a campaigner little is known of Judge Herrick, the gubernatorial nominee, except that he was defeated for the same office which Judge Parker resigned when he became a candidate for the presidency. Mr. Harrison, his chief running mate, however, is a "mixer." He was elected to congress in a district which was supposed to have 7,000 votes against him, and he won his election by getting out among the people and winning their confidence. How he will stand up state is another question which will be decided a few weeks hence. But from a New York city point of view, the fact that Murphy won against Hill and McCarren is of far more importance than that Herrick was nominated. Every political writer who visited Saratoga had been telling Hill had the convention in his vest pocket, and we have naturally believed them. It wasn't so much that Murphy is a good manager, however, that he managed to encompass the defeat of the forces against him, but that the votes of Tammany are going to be needed this year as they never were before. This fact made it necessary for Judge Parker and Mr. Sheehan to placate the Tammany boss, even if there must follow an apparent throw-down for the gentleman who promises to hibernate at "Wolfert's Roost" on and after the first of January. We will know more about the effect Judge Parker's interference in the matter will have after the votes have been counted.

Just Because She Loved Him.

The fatal fall of Thomas Hanlon, one of the famous acrobatic Hanlon brothers, in a theater in Pittsburgh a number of years ago, is recalled today by the fact that his daughter, Toma Hanlon, loved Frank McNally, a Brooklyn saloon-keeper, who was found dead in his room this morning with two bullets in his body.

The New York police always look for the "woman in the case" when a murder is committed, and therefore a detective was promptly sent to interview Miss Hanlon. The magistrate refused to hold her even as a witness, and she was promptly released. The murder of McNally seems likely to prove one of those mysteries which the metropolitan police fail to clear. Another man, who owned the saloon before McNally, was found murdered in the same room four years ago and the murderer was never captured.

Ghost Captured in Jersey.

Seven men passing a cemetery in Jersey City early this morning saw a ghost, and only one of them cared to investigate. The others probably had families and did not care to leave widows and orphans. The one man, however, stayed behind and followed the white object gliding about among the tombstones, until he discovered that instead of a ghost it was a woman clothed only in a night robe. He then called the police and a patrol wagon took the "ghost" to the station, where she was kept until her husband arrived and explained that she was "not dead, but sleeping."

New Birthday Celebration Idea.

There are numerous ways to celebrate a birthday, and John Meidle of Long Island City has his own ideas on the subject. Last night he invited his friends to his home, and while they were seated around the table making merry, John went into the kitchen, made a cocktail of every sort of poison there happened to be around the house, and drank it. His fall to the floor aroused the guests, a physician was called and Meidle lost the cocktail in short order by use of a stomach pump. If he recovers he probably won't try it again until another birthday anniversary comes around.

Roofs a Good Thing for Thieves.

That there are solid blocks of buildings all over the island of Manhattan has long been a good thing for the thieves. Policeman Lynch had an interesting experience this morning with a gang who had prepared to carry away about $5,000 worth of silks from the store of Cohen Bros. in Manhattan avenue. When discovered the thieves fled to the roof and there followed a pistol battle with the officer. The robbers lost their loot, but they knew the roof better than the policeman and therefore managed to escape, leaving their burglar kit behind.

Once He Was a Reporter.

The speediest policeman on the force was once a reporter. Now he rides a motorcycle and is a terror to automobilists who think they are in the country after they have passed Central park. Policeman Ennis has convinced several of them to the contrary. His little machine is good for 50 miles an hour, and he is not afraid to turn it loose when someone is exceeding the speed limit. He has been making a record for several weeks, and now automobilists know that the district around the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station is not a speedway. Ennis has been a reporter, a life-saver and a soldier, and still he is little more than 30 years old. He is always looking for excitement and his motorcycle chases after chauffeurs is just to his liking.

Taggart Is Planning Ahead.

Gov. Durbin of Indiana said today he sees no evidence of Republican disaffection in Indiana, the only Republican in the state who has announced he will not vote for Roosevelt being a former Missourian, who has not yet said that he will support the Democratic ticket; therefore the Republicans still have hopes for him. "Tom Taggart's neighbors in Indiana," continued the governor, "are following his work with great interest. It is generally believed that when he finds the election is lost he will endeavor to carry the legislature and have himself elected to the United States senate. Mr. Taggart is very popular in Indiana, but his popularity is likely to receive a rude shock when he tries to put his personal plans through."

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
C. A. Peck,
Mrs. Peck,
F. R. Babcock,
W. F. Schleiter.

Holland.
C. F. Buigaman,
L. Irwin,
Mrs. Irwin,
Miss Irwin,
E. Hooper,
S. M. Wilson,
A. H. Trimble,
W. B. Schiller,
J. W. Scully, Jr.,
J. W. Scully,
Mrs. Scully,
J. McLeod,
S. J. Harper,
J. M. Brady.

Manhattan.
J. S. Pagen, Jr.,
Wm. Orr,
H. B. Naylor,
G. Stengel, Jr.,

Navarre.
F. L. Brown,
J. Stauffer,
D. B. Williams.

Imperial.
J. I. Andrews,
F. W. Patterson,
William Wood,
A. Jones.

Fifth Avenue.
G. W. Fast,
J. P. Collins,
Misses Donk,
Miss A. M. Lynch.

Astor.
T. O'Regan,
W. J. Chase,
J. Frankle,
Miss C. Cohn.

Park Avenue.
E. Dotz,
S. S. Graham,
Mrs. C. M. Graham,
G. W. Crawford,
Mrs. Crawford,
W. F. Shuck,
J. C. Blake,
R. Stinson,
Mrs. Stinson.

Woodward.
F. E. Stewart.

Marlborough.
D. B. Bentley,
G. E. Walker.

Savoy.
T. M. Galey,
A. M. Hananie.

Grand.
Miss H. David,
Miss David,
E. H. Johnson.

Wolcott.
Miss J. M. Fulton,
E. Gray.

Continental.
B. E. Kountz,
H. Truesdell,
W. L. Brown.

Broadway Central.
J. S. Braida,
F. Weinstock.

Vendome.
Miss L. Allen,
A. L. Reed,
Mrs. Reed,
H. J. Hendricks,
Mrs. Hendricks,
J. W. Howard.

New Amsterdam.
Mrs. W. K. Richards,
Misses Richards.

Murray Hill.
J. H. Patterson.

Herald Square.
J. C. Alnich.

Criterion.
L. Lougenfelser.

Cadillac.
C. Taylor.

Gilsey.
E. H. Johnson.

St. Denis.
Mrs. W. K. Richards,
Miss Richards.

Bartholdi.
G. Montgomery.

Hoffman.
R. J. Sloan.

York.
Miss Jolly.

Girard.
G. W. Benson.

Albemarle.
M. M. House,
W. R. Sewell,
Miss H. Sproul.

The Quiet Observer

By ERASMUS WILSON.

It seems that country people ought to be awfully good people, and maybe they are. They used to be, as many who used to live in the country can testify.

Looking out over the broad fields, the plentiful gardens and richly laden orchards, one cannot help thinking that the farmer folk have little to complain about and not much to desire.

But then they are human and humanity is frailty itself, it seems like; hence more or less grumbling and complaining and faulting Providence.

The country boy who hasn't very much to do and yet thinks he has more to do than anyone else on the farm, envies the boy who rides up and down in an elevator all day long without the privilege of going to the big front door when a brass band goes tooting by, nor even allowed to join in watching a circus parade as it passes.

About one week as elevator boy would make a farmer boy wish for the hay mows, corn cribs and wood piles at home.

Digging potatoes, picking apples and burying cabbage is work in the fullest sense, but then there are wild grapes, walnuts and hickory nuts to be looked after, which is more than half play.

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A trolley ride from Cambridge to Erie ought to cheer the heart of anyone. Such broad acres and such fine crops, and such healthy, hearty looking people settles the croakings of the pessimist and sociologist, with an occasional exception.

One of these exceptional creatures was here the other day, and in spite of the indisputable evidences of great prosperity he allowed that the county was going to the dogs, and kept repeating that toothless saw: "The poor are getting poorer and the rich are getting richer."

And it seemed that the poor fellow really believed it.

Some there were who tried to show him where he was wrong, but he said he couldn't see it.

Maybe he just wouldn't see it.

Isn't it written somewhere in the Scriptures that none are as blind as those who will not see?

The French Creek valley is susceptible of being made one continuous garden. In many places it is as rich as a garden is supposed to be, and when it is all put into the same condition and properly cultivated, it will produce two or three times as much as it does now.

You must not infer from this that it is not producing largely now, for it is yielding bountifully.

Taken all in all it is safe to say that this section of the state can be made to support three times the number of people it does now, and that without crowding.

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One cannot help admiring the heroism and the nerve of the men and women who settled in this densely wooded country and with fire and ax and grubbing hoe fought their way through heavy timber and tangled undergrowth of briars.

You have only to look at the patches of virgin forest that are left in order to get an idea of the work they had to do before they could have a corn field or even a garden.

Here and there you may see a field that has but recently been cleared in which stumps are standing so thickly that a cow can hardly work her way among them to get the rank grass growing between.

But right along side of this field you may see piles of stumps, roots and all, stacked up ready for firing or maybe so arranged as to form a fence, and a good one, "horse high, pig tight and bull strong," as required by the laws of some of the southern states.

Dynamite has taken the place of the grubbing hoe, and they do say it works like a charm. You merely make a hole under the stump, insert a stick of dynamite and touch it off. It does the rest.

The rotting out plan must have been very slow, for here and there you may see stumps that have resisted decay for half a century at least.

But even with the aid of dynamite it is no easy job to clear a patch of new ground.

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The descendants of the heroes and valiant men who conquered these wonderful forests ought to be ashamed to grumble or complain, for all they have to do now is to sow and to reap, to plant and to gather.

Many of these descendants take the trolley to the grocery, and to church, and when visiting their neighbors. And as for going to the mill to get wheat and corn ground, as in former times, they trolley their grain to town, get the cash for it and buy flour and meal just as they need it.

Going to the old water mill looks quite romantic in type, and so it sounds to the boy of today; but to the boy who made these journeys, away back before the war, and long enough before the trolley was dreamed of, didn't think it one bit romantic, nor would you if a two-bushel sack of grain started to slide over the horse's head while going down hill, or to slide over its tail while going up hill.

Ask some of your older folks if they ever had any experiences along this line.

For a sack to fall off was a downright calamity, because a boy couldn't put it on again. And then the sack might land in a mud hole, or maybe burst.

When it threatened to slide off over the tail he would turn the horse around with its head down hill and by might and main work it back on its shoulders and then sit behind it holding to the horse's mane with both hands.

The memory of this is pleasant enough, but the real thing was different, to say the least.

Cambridge Springs, Pa.

PERSONALS

The condition of Harry Williams, proprietor of the Academy of Music, was reported yesterday to be somewhat improved. He has been suffering with paralysis for several months. He was able to be about a few days ago, but last Monday night suffered a relapse and his condition, for a time, was regarded as serious.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Registered at local hotels last night from nearby towns were the following:

Seventh Avenue—William A. Hollinbeck, Cliff Mine; Thomas F. Gallagher, Johnstown; Alexander Campbell, Jr., Wheeling; Bernard Abel, Titusville; Edgar J. Adams, Oil City.

Colonial—H. H. Lang, Slippery Rock, Pa.; Mrs. Blair, Bradford; Louis Cohan, Johnstown; J. W. Weller, Zanesville; Z. P. Cramer, Akron.

Anderson—S. T. Piecther, Zanesville; Miss Haber, Gettysburg; E. H. Griffith, West Brownsville, Pa.; A. Brockmeyer, Wheeling.

Monongahela House—E. Schefft, Greensburg; Col. C. D. Elliott, Parkersburg; D. P. Lannier, Perryopolis; A. P. Lannier, Perryopolis.

Griswold—W. P. Crouse, Warren; T. J. McCoy, Kane; W. C. Roth, Akron; J. B. Husland, Youngwood, Pa.

Henry—T. W. Connelly, Brownsville; Samuel E. Bell and Joseph A. Keller, Smethport, Pa.; L. M. Beckley, Huntingdon.

Newell's—C. B. Haddox, Meadville; A. P. Brooks, R. Collins and J. R. Thompson, Uniontown.

Lincoln—James M. Smith, Derry; Henry J. Scott, New Castle; W. R. Timmons, Punxsutawney; A. B. Maxwell, Canton.

Duquesne—A. Q. Mechling, Greensburg; S. W. Cook, Jermyn; S. J. Martin, Brookville.

Pittsburghers at St Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Jefferson.
Mrs. L. Escher,
E. A. Baumin,
Mrs. Baumin,
Mrs. M. McCabe,
L. S. Tucker,
Ethan I. Dodds.

Planters.
J. J. Wilson,
E. J. Dodds,
J. T. Robbins.

Buckingham.
William Scott,
Mrs. Scott,
Robert Pitcairn.

Hamilton.
John W. Rowls.

Southern.
Jacob G. Scott.

Avoiding Faction Prejudice.

The Democratic papers of New York city, having worn themselves weary in trying to tell what Judge Parker stands for, have now taken on a tone of complaint. To quote one of them, Judge Parker and his managers "have not thus far crystallized into interesting and telling form the opposition to the Republican party." This is not singular, when you come to analyze the situation. The attitude of the Democratic party in the present campaign is to play to all the varieties of sentiment found within the country, not directly supporting the Republican administration.—Kansas City Journal.

Answers to Correspondents.

F. W. P., Etna—The flag you refer to is that of the United States revenue service.

Humor of the Game

THE STROLLER.

Joe was a whole-souled, good fellow, ready with wit, and never overlooked an opportunity for a humorous situation. His friend the major was quite otherwise; suave in his dignity and always taking himself seriously, even when others did not. They had met often in recent years and were probably more familiar with each other's private affairs than was the third person, who met them by chance at a hotel not a great distance from Pittsburgh and who is responsible for this story.

"Joe is an old friend of mine," said the third person, "and I had known the major by sight and reputation, because he was a politician of no small proportion and had held several important places under federal control. Therefore, I was not the least surprised as we sat down in a quiet room when the major proposed a little game of draw poker. The proposal was popular and the chips were brought up. I think there was about $10 in the party of three. Well, the game was lively enough for me, for in a short time I had parted with my $3.65 and had dropped out to let Joe and the major fight it out. All the money was now on the table. Joe opened a jack-pot on three sixes and the major, holding two large pairs, felt confident enough to raise Joe 50 cents. With a chuckle of satisfaction Joe shoved in his stack, which contained by actual count just $4 more than the major had about him.

"The major very calmly surveyed the situation and reached for an electric button. Almost in an instant a waiter stood beside the card table.

"'Is there a check book in the house?' inquired the major.

"'Yes sir; First National bank, sir.'

"'Bring it in with pen and ink.'

"The major got the check book and dashed off a check for $100, carefully surveyed the pot several times, then tossed the paper in the center of the table and said:

"'I'll raise you $96.'

"It was Joe's turn to look things over. He hesitated, then turning to the waiter, said:

"'Let me see that check book.'

"Joe wasn't very long writing a check for $96 and calling the major's raise. He won the pot, of course, and drew in the chips, coin and paper. The checks that represented the face value of $196 he neatly folded together, tore them into fragments and threw them on the floor. With an air of offended dignity, the major demanded: 'What are you doing there?'

"'Oh,' replied Joe, 'I just wanted to prove to you that I am as good a penman as you. I don't think you have any money in the bank and I am sure I have not.'"

"But speaking of poker," said a western man in Pittsburgh the other day, "reminds me of a young fellow who used to be about the mining camps at Silver City, Idaho. He dealt faro at times and was a general booster about the games until he lost everything, including his mind, and we sent him to the state asylum for the insane at Blackfoot.

"Some time afterward I had business at Blackfoot. I visited the asylum and was reminded of my friend Charley. I went to his room and talked for some time with him. He seemed to have a lucid interval and I was enjoying our conversation, when one of the attendants brought him a lunch, consisting principally of a ham sandwich and a plate of home-fried potatoes. Charley immediately cut short the conversation and fixed his glassy eyes upon the center of the table. He picked up the sandwich and held it very much like an expert would hold a poker hand, then made a critical inspection. He must have discovered an unusually large piece of ham, for he calmly reached for the plate of potatoes, shoved them in the center of the table and said:

"'I'll bet 'em all.'"

The Death Roll

Funeral of James Milligan.

Funeral services will be held over the remains of James Milligan, who was connected with the orphans court for the last 30 years, at his late home at 2 p. m. today. The following tipstaves from the various county courts will act as pallbearers: Edward Fisher and William Wassell, orphans court; Simon Roll, quarter sessions court; Samuel Duvall, common pleas court No. 1; Joseph Walker, common pleas court No. 2, and George Richards, common pleas court No. 3.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Catherine Ganster, aged 90, is dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Scheid, in Shaler township. One son and two daughters survive.

Margaret J. Brown, widow of Louis Brown, an aged resident of Allegheny, died yesterday at the family residence, No. 405 Jackson street. She is survived by two sons, William and Louis of Allegheny.

George G. Armstrong, aged 44, died yesterday at his home, No. 2550 Smallman street, of pneumonia. He was a member of St. James Episcopal church and of the Knights of Pythias. His widow survives.

George E. Dutch of Wampum street, South Side, died Tuesday morning at Woods Run station, Allegheny. His widow, two sisters and a brother survive. He was a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

No Boss' Candidate.

The offer to Mr. Jerome seems to have been the attorney generalship on the state ticket, and it was rejected with a sample of Mr. Jerome's "whirlwinds." The district attorney left in the "boss'" mind the impression which he delights to leave in the minds of big and little alike—that he is "hard to curry below the knees." He also conveyed to the "boss" and gave to the world an understanding of how an honest and independent Democrat would feel at an invitation to run on the "boss'" ticket. In the language of Mr. Jerome's cheerful ditty, he'd "rather drink gasoline."—New York Tribune.

Have Minds Made Up.

This year the American people as a whole are fully satisfied with President Roosevelt. His honest, vigorous, manly Americanism has commended him not merely to his own party, but to thousands of Democrats. They are content to let well enough alone. They see no reason why they should exhort or become excited, but when the time to vote comes, they will go to the polls and cast their ballot for Roosevelt and clean government.—Ohio State Journal.

Sympathy for Japan.

Japan had our sympathy in the beginning. She has had it all along, with numerous writers for the press cooped up in Tokyo. She is likely to have it to the end, even if she continues to show scant appreciation of our desires to penetrate her military mysteries.—Washington Star.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"This is 'preserving time' with you women, isn't it?"

"Stupid man! Women are busy preserving all the year 'round."

"Indeed? What is there for them to preserve?"

"Their complexions, if there's nothing else."—Philadelphia Press.

Binks—Old Skinnem, the trust promoter, is dead.

Winks—That so? He's got now what he always wanted.

Binks—What's that?

Winks—The earth.—Town Topics.

Colonel Blood—When I was in your city I counted 20 saloons in one block.

New Yorker—I suppose you lost consciousness after that.—Smart Set.

Salesman—How was it you asked Grimes only $10 for that coat when the usual price is $15?

Proprietor—Well, you see, he had the coat charged, and it is doubtful if he ever pays. Better to lose $10 than $15, don't you see?—Boston Transcript.

Once on a time two youths were suitors for the hand of a good, beautiful, sensible, bright, tactful, candid, soulful, womanly girl.

One youth made love.

The other made money.

Puzzle: Which youth married the good, beautiful, sensible, bright, tactful, candid, soulful, womanly girl?—Puck.

HAD QUICK TRIP BUT SAW MUCH

Merchants and Manufacturers Association Takes a "Seeing Greater Pittsburgh" Tour.

ANOTHER PLANNED FOR TODAY

The first of the "Seing Greater Pittsburgh" tours was undertaken yesterday by the Pittsburgh Railways Company, the tour being under the auspices of the Merchants and Manufacturers association, which chartered two open cars for the trip. Fully 100 persons, members of the association and their friends, went along.

It was a revelation to many of the tourists. There were few of them who did not think they were perfectly familiar with Pittsburgh's varied industries, her beautiful homes and her skyscrapers, but there were very few who ever had the experience of having crammed within three hours a full survey of skyscrapers, homes, mills and factories, the budding towns and even the farm lands of Greater Pittsburgh.

The officers of the association who made the trip were E. J. Lloyd, president; H. W. Neely, second vice president, and James W. Wardrop, general manager of the association. A. S. McSwigan represented the Pittsburgh Railways Company. The following railroad men were among the excursionists: H. A. Jaggard, general agent of the Pennsylvania railroad; George D. Ogden, general freight agent of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania railroad; L. A. Robison, general passenger agent, and George H. Thompson, city passenger agent of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad; T. J. Walters, commercial freight agent, and R. A. Ebe, assistant general live stock agent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

There was a brass band on the first of the two cars. Across the front platforms was the legend, "Seeing Greater Pittsburgh" and streamers running along the sides of the cars bore the words: "Merchants and Manufacturers' association." The route was out Fifth avenue, past the Farmers bank, the Park, Carnegie and Frick buildings and Allegheny county's magnificent court house to Oakland, with a view of the Jones & Laughlins Company's blast furnaces and its mills on the other side of the Monongahela river. The cars turned into Forbes street at Oakland, and from there, for several miles, the route led through the most beautiful residence section of Pittsburgh. Out through Swissvale the cars sped, past Congressman Dalzell's residence, near which point the passengers were in time to see the finish of a runaway, in which nobody seemed to be hurt, although a buggy was smashed.

At Hawkins station the Ladies of the G. A. R. home was seen to the right, and then the smoke of the Edgar Thomson steel works clouded the sky. Past the Edgar Thomson works the cars sped to East Pittsburgh, right alongside the big buildings of the Westinghouse Machine Company and of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company.

In the adjoining town of Wilmerding the Westinghouse Airbrake works were seen. To the left stretched the trolley line for Trafford City, but the tourist cars kept to the right, crossing the long viaduct, and struck out for McKeesport. A long grade led up to the top of a hill, then downhill to Riverton, a McKeesport suburb. At McKeesport the mills of the National Tube works were seen in the distance, and the cars hurried over the Youghiogheny river, within a few hundred yards of the confluence of the Youghiogheny and the Monongahela rivers, in the district known as Reynoldstown. Then came the broad stream of the Monongahela, the cars running into Dravosburg on the viaduct at the end of the bridge and over the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston tracks.

From the heights in the rear of Dravosburg the bustling town of Glassport, more than a mile further up the river, was to be seen shining in the evening sun. Up hill and down dale, the trolley line led to Calhoun park, thence through Hope church, where the Monongahela river again came into sight, several miles below the earlier crossing. The smoke of the Homestead mills was seen some distance up the river, and the buildings of the Mesta Machine Company loomed up nearby. Here Second avenue was struck, and coming in a nearer view was obtained of the Jones & Laughlin coke ovens and blast furnaces.

On future trips the conductors of the cars will be supplied with megaphones, so that they may announce to the passengers the various points of interest through which the route passes. Most of those who traveled yesterday were acquainted with the individual points, but it is expected that many strangers will patronize the "Seeing Greater Pittsburgh" trolley rides and that an announcer will be needed.

At 2 p. m. today the Merchants and Manufacturers' association will chaperone another sight-seeing tour, starting from the corner of Cecil alley and Penn avenue. That route will cover Allegheny and the entire north side of the Allegheny river, for miles up and down the stream. It will be about the same length of yesterday's trip, which covered 35 miles.

Commencing tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, and daily thereafter while the exposition is open, a "Seeing Greater Pittsburgh" car will leave from Penn avenue and Cecil alley on one of the tours that have been outlined. As to which tour the car will make, that is a matter that will be decided each day by those who make the trip. As the majority votes, so the car will run. The fare for the long trip made yesterday will be 50 cents; for any of the shorter tours, 25 cents. Next spring it is proposed to make these "Seeing Greater Pittsburgh" tours a most attractive feature and if the patronage warrants it special sight-seeing cars will be constructed.

St. James, of Philadelphia.

New York has its Waldorf-Astoria. In Philadelphia it's the St. James. This beautiful new, modern, fireproof structure is located corner Thirteenth and Walnut streets, within three minutes of the business district. For quiet, comfort and convenience this hotel is not excelled anywhere. The cuisine is unexcelled. The service in every department is of the highest order. The St. James hotel is under the management of Mr. Eugene G. Miller, a hotel man of experience and who has the faculty of knowing how to please the most fastidious. When in Philadelphia next time just as an experiment try the St. James and you will find the accommodations so pleasing you will become a regular patron.

$12.00 to St. Louis and Return Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Tickets with seven-day limit—good in coaches only—on sale each Tuesday and Thursday during September. Through trains leave Pittsburgh 8:30 a. m., 1:30 and 8:50 p. m.

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Read our special advertisement on page 5 of fine upright pianos at $190—greatest bargain of recent years. Mellor's, 319 and 321 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Date

Is Monday, September 26, for the opening of the Evening Sessions of the Iron City College.

NEGROES HONOR LINCOLN'S NAME

Celebration in Homestead of the 41st Anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation.

BISHOP W. B. DERRICK SPEAKS

The 41st anniversary of the proclamation of negro emancipation by President Lincoln, was celebrated yesterday by the negroes of Homestead and vicinity. There was a parade, a dinner and a meeting at which the Rev. W. B. Derrick, a well-known negro bishop, made the principal speech of the day.

The celebration began with the dinner, which was served in the Fifth Avenue opera house, and was in progress from 11:30 to 2 o'clock. It was followed by a parade, in which about 2,000 persons participated. Representatives from Pittsburg, Braddock, Rankin, McKeesport and Glassport marched in the parade.

Bishop Derrick is presiding bishop of the Third district of the African Methodist Episcopal church, which includes West Virginia, Ohio, Pennsylvania and a part of Africa. In the course of his speech the bishop cited the degredation under which the negro in the United States lived for more than 200 years, bearing all that time a bad reputation as to "truthfulness, honesty and intelligence," While education was denied him and daily intercourse with enlightened society was beyond his reach. The speaker continued:

> I would advise you to a more diversified industry, as your chances are superior to those of the fathers. You must not continue to be menials. I would not have you misconstrue my meaning, for any kind of labor honestly performed is considered by intelligent people to be honorable. Yet the Irish and Italians and other classes of immigrants who are crowding our shores were and are still considered dangerous and coarse classes, so long as the bulk of them remain street sweepers and diggers of ditches. While so employed they never receive that recognition accorded to the more enlightened classes who are members of the commercial and business interests of the country. So will it be with you, young men.
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> You must find employment. You must make business, for just as long as you are willing to live from hand to mouth, you will be held as inferiors. You must become acquainted with the mechanism and handicrafts of the day. You must discountenance haphazard and unsteady methods. You must cultivate promptness, punctuality, steadiness and perseverance.

In referring to the prejudice said to exist against negroes the speaker said:

> American caste is worse than that of the Hindoos. How long will it be before divine justice shall unchain on earth some mighty minds above the weakness of the vulgar and barbarous? How long before a new Sumner, Phillips, Garrison, Douglass and Lincoln will come again to unlock the door of hope for the negro?

G. B. Jackson of Richmond, Va.; W. H. Stanton, W. H. Neil and John F. Cox, all lawyers, also spoke, as did W. Shaler Ross, burgess of Homestead.

The following resolutions were offered by W. B. Anderson, pastor of the St. Paul African Methodist Episcopal church, and unanimously adopted by a standing vote:

> Resolved, That the memory of the immortal Lincoln is and shall be cherished as an imperishable legacy to be handed down to coming generation, and while we have not been able to erect a shaft to his memory, nevertheless, there is already erected a more enduring evidence, one which time's fingers cannot crumble. He dwells in the hearts and affections of 10,000,000 free men and women.
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> Be it further resolved, That in a similar manner we cherish and appreciate the efforts of his distinguished successor in his attempt to fully complete the great work begun by him in recognition of our full-fledged citizenship, thus ridding us of those disabilities with which slavery had hampered us. That man is the brave, just and true Theodore Roosevelt.

LINE READY NOVEMBER 1.

Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone Connection With Wheeling Has Been Delayed.

Various difficulties have prevented the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone Company and the National Telephone Company of Wheeling from completing the connection between the two cities as soon as was expected. It is probable November 1 will see the line in operation. It will add 3,000 phones at Wheeling to the list reached by the Pittsburgh independent company.

The new line is being built from Bridgeville straight toward Wheeling. It is on a private right of way and makes the distance in about 58 miles as from Pittsburgh, as compared with 65 for the other 'phone.

The connection at Wheeling not only gives the list of 3,000 in that company's directory, but gives further connections in West Virginia and Ohio which makes the additional telephones connected total 10,000.

Prohibitionists for Blue Laws.

The Prohibition club, at a meeting Tuesday night, passed resolutions indorsing the work of the Sabbath Observance society. Agent P. T. Gamble, who has charge of the detective work for the association, is busy hunting bondsmen for Detective Nelson C. Starkey, who is in jail for the murder of Harry D. Knox. Attorneys John C. Haymaker and W. T. Tredway will ask for Starkey's release next week on bail. Gamble has no doubt of being able to secure plenty of bondsmen.

Run Down at a Crossing.

Joseph Herbst, a McKees Rocks farmer, was run down at a railway crossing in West Carson street, by a shifting engine as he was on his way to this city yesterday morning with a load of vegetables. One horse was killed, the other badly bruised, the wagon demolished, and Herbst escaped with severe cuts and bruises. His garden truck was strewn along the street.

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Don't confuse these pianos we are offering for $190 with pianos which usually sell at that price. We do not handle inferior instruments.

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DIED.

DUTCH—On Tuesday, September 20, 1904, at Woods Run station, GEORGE E. DUTCH of Wampum street, South Side.

HERTZ—On Wednesday, September 21, 1904, at 3 a. m., HOWARD MILTON HERTZ, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hertz, aged 5 weeks and 4 days.

Interment private from parents' residence, 333 Evaline street, today at 2 p. m.

JONES—(Official.)—Department of state, Washington, D. C. Information has been received at this department from the legation of the Netherlands at Washington, D. C., of the death on the 8th of June, 1904, at sea, of Margaret Jones of Pittsburgh, Pa. The legal representatives of the deceased can obtain further information by applying to this department. Per dispatch No. 364 legation of the Netherlands, dated July 30, 1904.

KESTNER—On Wednesday morning, September 21, 1904, at the family residence in Los Angeles, Cal., MRS. LAURA KESTNER (nee Keller), formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa., wife of Charles Kestner.

Interment at Los Angeles on Friday, September 23.

KATZ—On Wednesday, September 21, 1904, at 4:45 a. m., JOHN HARRISON KATZ, only son of F. W. and Sadie M. Katz (nee Johnston), aged 16 months.

Funeral services at the family residence, 612 Liberty street, Allegheny, on Friday, September 23, at 2 p. m. Interment private later.

KUCHENBECKER—On Monday, September 19, 1904, at 9 p. m., JOHN JULIUS KUCHENBECKER, aged 64 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 310 South Neville street, Oakland, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LANG—On Tuesday, September 20, 1904, at 3:20 p. m., GEORGE LANG, in his 71st year.

Funeral services at the residence of his son, William E. Lang, 121 Maple avenue, Thirty-first ward, today at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at a later hour.

LEONARD—On Wednesday, September 21, 1904, at 7 a. m., HICKMAN W. LEONARD, aged 48 years husband of Maggie Leonard (nee Wallace).

Funeral from his late residence, No. 2623 Hamilton street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of Smoky City council No. 119, Jr. O. U. A. M., are respectfully invited to attend.

MILLIGAN—On Monday, September 19, 1904, at 10 a. m., JAMES MILLIGAN, in his 92d year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 324 Penn avenue, on Thursday, September 22, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

REYNOLDS—On Monday, September 19, 1904, at Philadelphia, FRANK J. REYNOLDS, aged 45 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the chapel of H. Samson, Sixth ave. Interment private.

SCHNITZER—On Wednesday, September 21, 1904, at 12:30 a. m., JEAN T., daughter of George H. and Leah Schnitzer (nee Eisenbeis), aged 5 years, of diphtheria.

Services and interment private at the family residence, 1123 Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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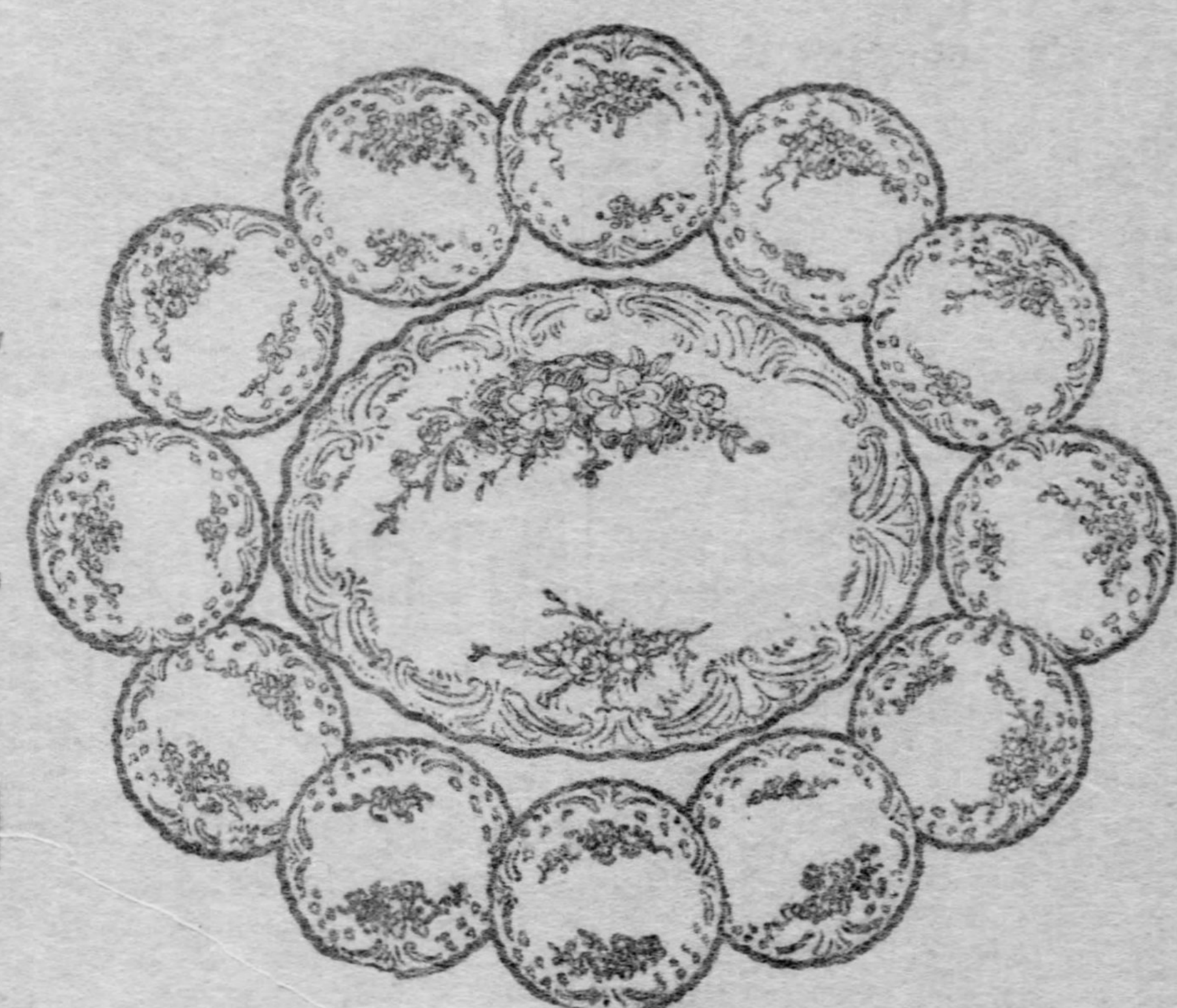

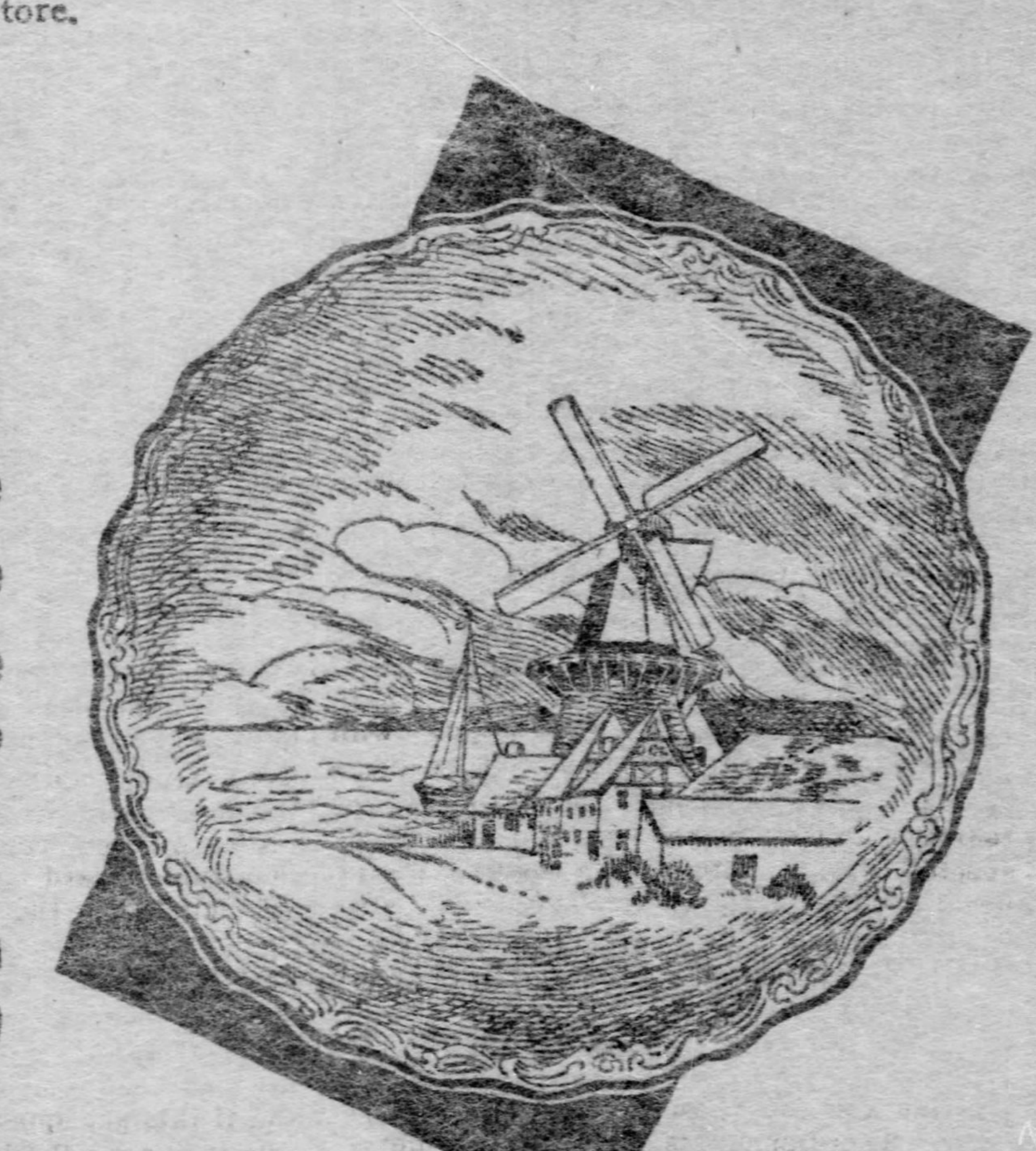

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SPECIAL—In order to make this affair doubly interesting to everybody we will have a FRIDAY AFTERNOON SPECIAL SALE that will eclipse any previous effort of ours, so you can rest assured it will be a wonder. Note the articles below and understand they will be sold FRIDAY AFTERNOON ONLY.

We purchased the entire New York stock of the leading importer of these beautiful China articles; the price we quote would not pay the duty.

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"The committee decided to name No. 1 APEX and No. 2 COZY." Each heater is guaranteed the best of its kind. The list of those who sent in the winning names is given below. To EACH we will present one of the heaters they have named. Notice PICKERING'S way of doing it—no stingy little (first to send in name) offer, but a heater to all who sent the names selected.

No. 1 APEX. No. 2 COZY.

List of those who sent in the name APEX: Miss Florence Matz, 104 Excelsior st., city; Mrs. H. P. Taylor, Brownsvile, Pa.; Mrs. Belle C. Davis, 1314 Clark st., Wilkinsburg; Maud Fuller, Rices Landing, Pa.

List of those who sent in the name COZY: Mrs. E. Quigley, No. 122 Evaline st., city; Olga Lersch, No. 1727 Verona ave., city; Mrs. A. J. Noll, 5615 Dauphin st., city; Miss F. Parker, No. 8 Mahon ave., city; Mrs. J. C. Shorthill, Glenshaw, Pa.; E. D. Howells, 7214 Hermitage st., city; Mrs. J. Snyder, 1313 East st., Allegheny; Mrs. A. J. King, 615 Margaretta st., city; Mrs. R. A. Thompson, Leechburg, Pa.; Mrs. A. Smith, Bellevue, Pa.; Mrs. W. D. Aumuck, Glenfield, Pa.; Mrs. I. McChane, Gastonville, Pa.; Mrs. H. W. Patterson, 322 Third ave., Homestead.

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BRENNEN BOSSED THE CONVENTION

Was in Complete Control of the Nominating Meeting of the County Democrats.

HE NAMED A FULL TICKET

About 25 delegates, representing the Democracy of Allegheny county, yesterafternoon, nominated candidates for the offices to be filled this fall. William J. Brennen took charge of the meeting and offered nearly all of the motions, made the nominating speeches and read the report of the committee on resolutions prepared by himself. This ticket was selected:

Judge of orphans court, William G. Hawkins; coroner, Dr. George R. Herst, Pittsburgh; director of the poor, John Johnston, Green Tree; congress, Twenty-ninth district, W. H. S. Thomson, Ben Avon; congress, Thirtieth district, Maurice L. Thompson, Wilkinsburg; congress, Thirty-first district, John C. Reilly, Fourteenth ward; congress, Thirty-second district, John Pierce, Twenty-fourth ward; state senator, Forty-third district, George C. Burgwin, Fourteenth ward; state senator, Forty-fifth district, M. J. McMahon, Ingram. Judge Hawkins is the Republican nominee and the Democrats have indorsed him. The candidates for assemblymen will be nominated by committees. These nominations will probably all be made by this evening.

The resolutions indorse Parker and Davis and approve the platform adopted at St. Louis. The "spasmodic, partial, unjust and uncalled-for attempts at the enforcement of the act of 1794" are characterized as an assault on the Christian Sabbath by some "misguided and mistaken persons and some unscrupulous and predatory sinners." Legislative candidates are pledged to work for the repeal of the act or its proper amendment.

To the Man Who Pays the Freight.

The following resolution was made a part of the platform:

> That the Democracy are under everlasting obligations to the Hon. James M. Guffey for his self-sacrificing efforts in promoting its success, extending its influence and establishing its principles, and we indorse his course as national committeeman in exercising his influence in the last national convention for the nomination of the splendid candidates of the Democracy for president and vice president.

Brennen had complete charge of the convention, his political partner, Commissioner James A. Clark, being in the west. The delegates were to convene in common council chamber at 2:30 o'clock, but at that hour less than a dozen of the 51 had put in an appearance. At 3 o'clock about 25 delegates had gathered and Brennen decided to start the machinery. He took a front seat and piled a number of typewritten documents on the desk in front of him. It developed that these were the order of business, the names of the men to be nominated and the various resolutions which were adopted.

County Chairman Alcorn presided and announced that the first thing in order would be the calling of the roll. Brennen made a hasty survey of the room and decided that a roll call would not look well, so ordered it dispensed with. He then hurried into the corridors and asked everyone to go inside and take seats.

Committee on Resolutions.

Chairman Alcorn appointed this committee on resolutions: W. J. Brennen, John Whitney, R. J. Daly, James Wampler and P. F. Keefe. Brennen and Daly were the only members present. The committee went into session to deliberate over the platform by Brennen handing Daly a typewritten copy of the resolutions and telling him to go to his seat and read them. Daly, of course, had no objections to offer. In the course of the order of business, handed in by Brennen, Brennen read the resolutions prepared by Brennen. Then Brennen moved that they be adopted.

The name of Judge W. G. Hawkins was placed before the convention by Chairman Alcorn. After paying a tribute to the worth of the jurist, Mr. Alcorn said:

> There can be no objection to this convention indorsing Judge Hawkins. Candidates in either party have several times heretofore been indorsed by the opposite party. All good citizens believe that the judiciary should be non-partisan. This is especially true of the orphans court, because it has nothing whatever to do with the political parties, questions or political favors.
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> We do not nominate him on the ground of what has been done by parties heretofore, or what may be done hereafter in the choice of candidates, but we honor him because he is William G. Hawkins, judge of the orphans court, who has served as such with unsurpassed ability, faithfulness and honesty. His character is an open book and from beginning to end every page convinces us that he has been loyal to his duty, brain and conscience. It is not too much to say that this splendid character has endeared him to the hearts of not only the profession, but to all who know him.

Brennen Was Very Busy.

In the nominations, Brennen personally presented the names of Dr. Herst, W. H. S. Thomson, congressman for the Allegheny district, John C. Reilly and George C. Burgwin. He nominated Mr. Reilly of the Fourteenth ward, as the candidate for congressman in the Thirtieth district and had R. J. Daly name Maurice L. Thompson of Wilkinsburg as the nominee of the Thirty-first district. After they were nominated, it was suggested to Brennen that he had made a new congressional apportionment. He hurried over to the Mayor's office, consulted a "Smull's Handbook" and then ordered the convention to undo its work. Reilly and Thompson were put in their proper districts and then Brennen proceeded to name the balance of the Brennen slate. He completed his work by having adopted a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of three to fill vacancies and certify nominations.

Just before the convention adjourned, Chairman Alcorn inquired if anyone had any business to present. Brennen said: "In view of the fact that——" For some reason he did not finish his sentence and allowed the convention to be adjourned.

Col. Guffey yesterday denied that he had given $50,000 to the Democratic campaign fund. The announcement of his generous contribution was made Tuesday by Controller Larkin. At the Guffey offices yesterday the following statement was given out: "Col. Guffey has not sent his check to the Democratic national committee for any amount, and has not been asked to."

Was News to Mr. Ford.

When Thomas J. Ford, chairman of the Republican county committee, was asked yesterday about his boom for lieutenant governor, which was started in Philadelphia on Tuesday, he said that the publication of his name in connection with the office was the first intimation he had of the matter.

Chairman Wasson of the Republican committee on meetings and speakers says that an invitation is extended to all who desire to make campaign speeches. This includes those Republicans who have been out of the party and desire to assist in spreading Republican doctrines this fall.

A. H. Leslie, select councilman for the Seventeenth ward, will tender his resignation about October 10. This will give the ward a chance to elect his successor at the November election. The Republican ward committee will hold a meeting tomorrow evening at which arrangements for a primary will be made. It is probable that October 22 will be selected as the date for the primary. S. G. Lennox is the only candidate for the office, who is making an active campaign.

The Allegheny War Veterans Republican association will hold a meeting tomorrow night to organize a marching club. It is proposed to organize a regiment, each company having 50 men. Veterans of the civil, Spanish and Philippine wars and the sons of these veterans, are eligible to membership. The uniform will be a dark suit and a McClelland hat, but with a gold cord.

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THE TWO PRETTY PRESIDENTS

Blanche Wayne,
President Theatrical Women's Roosevelt League.

Erminie Earle,
President Theatrical Women's Parker League.

THEATER GIRLS GET IN THE GAME

They Have Their Political Clubs, and Rallies Are to Be Held Here Next Week.

AIM TO MAKE THE MEN VOTE

Momentous questions—high tariff or low, or none at all, gold standard or free silver, trusts or independent industries, will be threshed out on the stage of the Duquesne theater next Monday and Wednesday afternoons. Monday the Theatrical Women's Parker club will hold a mass meeting, to be addressed by William J. Brennen and others of the Unterrified. Wednesday afternoon the theatrical girls who adore the Rough Rider will hold a mass meeting under the auspices of the Theatrical Women's Roosevelt club and those two popular favorites, James Francis Burke and Dr. Andrew Jackson Barchfeld, will be the speakers on that occasion.

It all came about through "The Runaway Girl." Those who have formed the acquaintance of this eloping young woman will not be surprised she has gone into politics. In spite of the fact they live lives of mimicry before the footlights, theatrical people, both men and women, are exceedingly serious behind the paint and powder and scenes. When they are not making the people in the auditorium laugh they are earnestly engaged in the matters which concern ordinary folk in other walks of life. Only the actor people take everything, even their acting, seriously.

When Esopus received the honor of being the home of the Democratic nominee for president there were a number of women in "The Royal Chef" company and "The Runaway Girl" company whose leanings were toward the tenets of Judge Parker. They organized the Theatrical Women's Parker club and took a special car on the "Rip Van Winkle flyer" up to Esopus to call on the "Jedge." Theirs was one of the first delegations received by the candidate after his nomination had been regularly announced by the notification committee. They were delighted with the Sage of Esopus and went back to New York to work for his success. The club idea spread and soon all the pretty little Democrats who wear skirts—or tights—on the stages of New York were enrolled in the Parker club.

But there are just as many Republican girls as there are Democrats. Possibly more. These girls decided to form the Roosevelt club. The first meeting of the Parker club was held in New York two weeks after the visit to Judge Parker. There has been no other held since. The girls want to hold another meeting and have decided on Pittsburgh as the place. So next Monday was arranged for as the date.

This stirred up the Roosevelt girls and they decided to hold a grand, old-fashioned Republican mass meeting that would simply put the Parker girls on the shelf. They engaged the theater for Wednesday for this event. Manager Miller was deputized to see Mr. Brennen for the Democratic girls and Mr. Burke and Dr. Barchfeld for the Republican girls, and there is the warmest kind of rivalry between the two organizations now.

Of course the girls realize that they cannot vote, but they have what they call "inflooence" down in their own wards in "dear old New York." They are pretty girls and winning girls, and a fellow couldn't very well refuse to vote as they want him if they ask him to. They say they are not attempting to make Republican or Democratic voters, but to make Republicans and Democrats vote.

Blanche Wayne is the charming president of the Roosevelt club and Erminie Earl is the equally pretty president of the Parker club. The girls are very much alive to the situation and either of them can talk politics like a paid stump speaker.

SYRIANS MUST LEAVE HAITI.

United States Minister Powell Finds Some of Them Have Bogus American Naturalization Papers.

PORT AU PRINCE, HAITI, Sept. 21.—The Haitien government has accorded the Syrian residents of Haiti a last delay of six months to enable them to liquidate their affairs and leave the country.

The American minister, Mr. Powell, has been actively investigating the charge that many of the Syrians claiming to be naturalized American citizens were in possession of false naturalization papers. A number of papers have been seized.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD RELIEVES CONGESTION

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Initiatory steps have been taken by the Pennsylvania railroad in its plans to relieve the congestion of freight in Jersey City by the opening of a freight transfer office at Waverly, N. J. This is the first move in a system whereby east and west going freight will be moved between Long Island and New England by the way of Greenville instead of Jersey City.

Will of Edwin W. Smiley.

FRANKLIN, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The will of Edwin W. Smiley, chief clerk of the senate has been filed for probate. The entire estate goes to his immediate family, consisting of a wife, daughter and son. The new family residence is bequeathed to his wife to be held in trust for the daughter, but if the mother should outlive the daughter it goes to the son upon the death of his mother. The remainder of the estate including life insurance is to be invested or reinvested and the proceeds divided among the three members of the family. The value of the estate is not known.

Peace Arranged in Uruguay.

MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, Sept. 21.—The peace terms arranged between the government of Uruguay and the Uruguayan revolutionary forces are that the revolutionists shall surrender their arms and that the government shall agree not to interfere with the property of the revolutionists and that complete electoral freedom be granted.

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DELEGATES ARE ENTERTAINED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

EASTON, Sept. 21.—The Homeopathic Medical Society of Pennsylvania held a long session today and went through considerable work. A resolution was adopted recommending to the state legislature the enactment of a law providing for the complete registration of vital statistics, in manner and form as recommended by the United States census bureau and the American Public Health association.

Another resolution, recommending the enactment of laws providing for the establishment of health officers in rural districts, extending the power of the state board of health to include supervision of municipal water supplies and to enable them to study and take measures, as may be necessary to limit and abate ravages of preventable diseases. These laws upon health matters are demanded, the society says, by reason of the great increase in rural population and the increased number of infectious diseases in these districts.

Papers in the surgery section were presented by Dr. W. E. Rotzell of Pittsburgh, Dr. R. L. Piper of Tyrone, and Dr. S. G. A. Brown of Shippensburg. Clinical medicine was considered in a number of papers, the subject being introduced by Dr. J. A. Bullard of Wilkesbarre. Among the papers read were those submitted by Drs. W. J. Marrin of Pittsburgh, Walter W. Seibert of Easton, G. M. Golden of Philadelphia, and Robert Walter of Walter Park. The remainder of the afternoon session was devoted to materia medica, Dr. A. Korndoefer, Sr., of Philadelphia, being chairman of this section and introducing the topic. Drs. A. P. Bowie of Uniontown, Charles Mohr of Pittsburgh, Edward Crangh of Erie, and Z. T. Miller of Pittsburgh, were among those who spoke. Thus far 65 new members have been received.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. W. A. Seibert, Easton; first vice president, Dr. C. F. Seip, Pittsburgh; second vice president, Dr. W. G. Dietz, Hazleton; recording secretary, G. B. Moreland, Pittsburgh; corresponding secretary, Dr. E. M. Gramm, Philadelphia; treasurer, Dr. Ella D. Goff, Allegheny; necrologist, Dr. Chandler Weaver, Philadelphia; censors, Dr. Anna C. Clark, Scranton; Dr. G. W. Smith, Philadelphia; Dr. H. F. Schantz, Reading; trustees, Drs. D. C. Kline, Reading; H. B. Ware, Scranton; I. B. Gilbert, O. S. Haines, W. H. Keim and Clarence Bartlett, Philadelphia; D. P. Maddux, Chester; J. A. Bullard, Wilkesbarre; and W. A. Seibert, Easton.

This evening the visitors were guests at Able's opera house of the Lehigh Valley medical society, about 250 being present. This afternoon a tea was given the visiting ladies at Oakhurst, the home of John E. Herman, great grandson of the late Dr. Henry Detwiller of Easton, the pioneer homeopath in this state.

DEMOCRATS NOMINATE BOWERS FOR CONGRESS

HARRISBURG, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—O. C. Bowers of Chambersburg was nominated for congress today against Representative Thad M. Mahon of Chambersburg, by the Democratic conferees of the Seventeenth congressional district today at the Democratic state headquarters here. On the first ballot Mr. Bowers received 12 votes; ex-Representative W. H. Parcels of Lewistown, 9, and Jay G. Weiser of Millersburg, 3. On the second ballot Mr. Bowers was nominated by acclamation.

Alderman Reserved Decision.

The suits brought against T. Hamilton and the Pittsburgh Display Advertising Company by Murray G. Livingston, city ordinance officer, for alleged violations of the city ordinance regulating the hanging of signs on the outer walls of business houses, were heard yesterday by Alderman John Groetzinger. Decision in both cases were reserved until tomorrow.

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HEALTH FUNDS ARE EXHAUSTED

Director Moore Will Ask Councils to Make Another Transfer from Fire Bureau.

HOSPITAL ACCEPTED TODAY

The bureau of health has run short of funds, the first bureau of the city administration to exhaust its appropriation. A resolution will be introduced at the next meeting of councils to transfer about $10,000, or more, to the health bureau from the fire bureau to tide the latter's finances over temporarily.

This is the second time the fund of the fire bureau has been drawn upon, although the administration at the beginning of the summer refused to give the firemen a vacation on the plea there was not enough money in the fund to employ substitutes while the regular men were off duty.

The administration stated it would cost $20,000 to give the firemen a vacation, and this sum could not be spared from the fund without the fire appropriation running short before the end of the fiscal year on January 31, 1905. Notwithstanding this statement, the administration had $15,000 transferred from the fire fund to pay the expense of holding the bond election, and now proposes to take nearly the same amount to replenish the health fund.

Supt. G. W. Moore of the health bureau said yesterday he thought he would have enough money to meet the September pay-roll, but a transfer would have to be made for October. He said the matter was in the hands of the director of the department.

Controller Larkin sent to Mayor Hays about a month ago a letter calling attention to the fact the appropriations of a number of bureaus were getting close to the danger point and suggesting that unless some radical reductions in expenditures were made the appropriations would run out about November. The state of the health fund verifies this prediction. While the money necessary to tide the health bureau over temporarily will be obtained from the fire fund, it is believed that this cannot be done safely without running the fire bureau short of funds before the end of the year or else compelling the firefighting force to run short-handed.

The administration is reaching the stage where it will find itself embarrassed to get money to finish the year. Controller Larkin estimates the deficit at about $400,000, and he has given the administration warning he will not countersign warrants against an appropriation when its funds run out.

Mayor Hays, Director Moore and Supt. Moore will make an inspection of the new municipal hospital this afternoon in company with the architect who designed it, and if everything is found satisfactory, as expected, the hospital will be formally accepted today.

HIGHWAYMAN'S AWFUL END.

While Trying to Escape from a Posse Was Ground to Death Under Railway Train.

Robert McIndoe, a highwayman, was crushed to death beneath the wheels of a rapidly moving freight train at Smithton, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, late Monday night. He attempted to board the train and escape from a posse which was pursuing him.

With two companions, William H. Matthews, negro, and George Sethman, white, McIndoe beat and robbed a miner who was on his way to work in the mines at Smithton. The unconscious victim was found a few minutes later by a party of railroad men. They informed the Smithton officials and a posse of citizens formed to capture the highwaymen. They followed them to Eureka tipple, a mile from Smithton, and found them under the tipple. The freight came flying along at this moment and McIndoe tried to board it, but went under the wheels. His two companions at once surrendered without resistance and were locked up. The trio had previously beaten and robbed the operator in the tower at Eureka mines, and were being pursued by a posse from that place when they were captured at Eureka tipple.

BRIDGE STILL CLOSED.

Avalon Council Holds That County Should Make Improvements on Jackman Avenue.

The new county bridge connecting Bellevue and Avalon boroughs, dedicated several months ago with much ceremony, has not yet been opened for traffic and the residents of the two boroughs are quarreling because of this.

The portion of Jackman avenue, which approaches the bridge from the Avalon end, has not been filled in and Avalon council refuses to do the work. It contends that the property belongs to the county and that the county should make the necessary improvement. Several members of Avalon council are, however, in favor of going to the expense of making the new structure passable at once, instead of waiting for and quarreling with the county.

Engineer Burned to Death.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 21.—A passenger train on the Norfolk & Western road was wrecked today at Lockburn by spreading rails. The engine, tender and baggage car were derailed. Engineer William D. Simonton of this city, was burned to death under his engine. Fireman Fred W. Kyle of Columbus, was probably fatally scalded.

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You who follow the world's doings—
Here is a realistic description of a new engine of destruction, which by its very horror may become the most potent of peacemakers.

You Pennsylvania-Dutch folks—
A story of "Benjie Stoltz's Wooing," which is fragrant with "fassnachts" and smacks of "snitz."

You who would learn rare dishes—
"Famous Southern Recipes," the old Virginia kind, the jealously guarded, unequaled kind. Here are some of them for you.

You who like prize-money—
Hundreds of dollars awarded each month for bright ideas, best recipes, puzzle answers. Special prizes for both professional photographers and amateurs. Better enter one of these contests and earn money.

You girls with dramatic ambitions—
Read the advice of David Belasco, one of the masters among theatrical managers. He talks sensibly about the difficulties and dangers, as well as the way to gain the rewards awaiting her who "possesses that something which will win."

You who like a bear story—
That means everybody. The October *Woman's Home Companion* has a good one. Funny little bear, and what happened to him and his owner. The bear made things happen. Read about "Jimmy Bear."

You mothers—
Several columns of good sense on what children should eat and wear; not theory, but an interchange of practical ideas from those who are actually bringing up children.

You who follow the fashions—
There are many pointers for you on fall and winter modes; patterns, too, that will set and keep you right.

You children—
Aunt Janet has two pages for you that you'll like, and there are Indian legends that you'll all want to read.

You who live in suburban homes—
Every one of you should know about our great suburban-home competition, which will give you hundreds of new and most practical ideas; full details in the October number of the *Woman's Home Companion.*

You who need an uplift, everybody—
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Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.50 am	* 8.40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 5.00 am	† 7.25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5.00 am	‡ 6.55 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 5.00 am	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	† 5.08 am	* 5.50 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 6.30 am	† 8.20 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 6.30 am	†10.35 am
Ohio Valley Express	† 6.45 am	† 8.30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7.00 am	†10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 5.50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.30 am	† 4.55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 7.30 am	‡ 6.55 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 7.45 am	†10.35 am
Jamestown and New Castle	† 7.45 am	† 1.20 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	‡ 7.45 am	* 8.25 am
The Forest City Special	* 8.00 am	* 3.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Expo Train, Ft. Wayne, St. Louis	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.30 am	* 8.30 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jamest'n	†12.35 pm	‡ 5.50 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12.35 pm	†10.35 am
The World's Fair Special	* 1.00 pm	* 2.15 pm
Columbus and Chicago	* 1.05 pm	* 2.00 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	† 1.35 pm	† 1.00 pm
New Castle and Erie	† 4.30 pm	‡ 5.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4.30 pm	† 8.20 pm
Youngstown and Niles	† 4.30 pm	* 6.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 4.35 pm	† 8.40 am
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.15 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 5.10 pm	‡ 9.10 am
The Chicago Special	* 6.30 pm	* 7.45 am
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8.20 pm	* 5.55 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	†10.40 pm	† 5.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 5.40 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., †6.00 am, ‡7.30 am, †9.00 am, †9.45 am, †1.30 pm, †3.10 pm, †4.10 pm, †5.15 pm, ‡4.30 pm, †6.20 pm, ‡9.20 pm, †10.30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, †6.45 am, *8.20 am, †11.50 am, †2.30 pm, *6.15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, †8.25 am, †4.25 pm, †10.55 pm, ‡11.35 am.

Leave for Dennison, *5.40 am, †2.30 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †8.25 pm.

*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)
Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.	* 6:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connels. & Mt. Pleasant	† 6:30 am	†10:00 am
Wash., Balt. & N. York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Conn'v., Un'tn & Fairm't.	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
West Newton Accom.	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
Conn., Un'tn, Morgant'n	† 1:35 pm	†10:00 am
Connels. & Mt. Pleasant	† 1:35 pm	† 5:05 pm
Connellsville Accom.	* 4:00 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6:30 pm	* 9:00 am
West Newton Accom.	† 6:40 pm	† 1:30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:15 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Columbus & Cincin. Exp.	‡12:05 am	....
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:00 am	*10:35 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:30 am	* 7:45 am
St. Louis Limited	* 1:30 pm	*11:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4:35 pm	* 5:45 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 5:35 pm	* 8:45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:50 pm	* 7:55 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Youngst.	* 7:50 am	* 8:15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4:30 pm	*12:15 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	† 7:00 am	† 8:00 am
Butler, Foxburg	‡ 7:30 am	‡ 7:25 pm
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler	†10:40 am	* 9:40 am
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenv.	† 3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5:30 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler	* 6:15 pm	* 5:10 pm
Ellw'd, Foxb'g, N. Castle	‡ 6:15 pm	‡ 9:40 am
Butler	*11:30 pm	* 7:25 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

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Trains leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard time), for Conneaut, O.; Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 8:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.; for Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keister at 8:15 a. m., 1:15 and 3:00 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday. E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

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Keystone Express, daily	3:00 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York	3:35 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily	7:15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily	7:15 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily	7:30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily	8:00 a. m.
Day Express, daily	12:03 p. m.
Mail Express, daily	12:45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington	4:50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York	4:55 p. m.
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York	7:10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	9:00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only	10:00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches	10:00 p. m.

For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. daily.

For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 5:05 and 11:00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week-days.

For Dubois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 3:00 and 8:00 a. m. and 7:10 and 9:00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days, 10:00 p. m. daily with through sleeping car.

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For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:15, 8:25 a. m., 12:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days, 8:00 a. m. and 4:55 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:55 a. m. week-days and 4:30 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 8:26 a. m., 3:25, 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week-days; 7:00, 9:35 a. m. and 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 6:05 a. m. and 1:05 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6:05, 8:20, 10:55 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:30 (5:20 to Monongahela City), 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 4:30, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY.

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Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail	* 8.30 am	* 5.10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 8.30 am	† 7.15 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12.50 pm	* 6.30 am
St. Louis Express	*12.50 pm	* 8.50 am
Buffalo and Erie Express	‡ 5.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 2.30 pm	*12.30 pm
Boston Special	* 5.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6.15 pm	* 6.35 pm
Loupurex Limited	* 9.00 pm	* 3.20 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10.30 pm	* 6.35 pm
Youngstown Accom.	† 5.30 am	* 8.50 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	* 6.40 am	† 5.35 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9.00 am	† 9.30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	†12.10 pm	† 4.15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3.30 pm	†12.15 am
New Castle Express	† 4.20 pm	† 7.30 am
New Castle Express	† 8.05 pm	† 8.00 am
Beaver Falls Express	† 5.25 pm	† 6.30 am
Brownsville Accom.	† 6.10 am	† 6.45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	† 8.00 am	† 8.00 am
McKeespt. & Brownsville	†11.50 am	†12.40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 3.30 pm	† 4.50 pm
Brownsville & ‡N. Haven	† 5.20 pm	† 5.45 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, †5:30 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. ‡Note—Daily train (Sunday only, Youngstown only).

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BANKERS OBJECT TO COMPROMISE

Refuse to Buy Filtration Bonds Until the Courts Have Declared Them Legal.

LARKIN PUT CLOUD ON THEM

All efforts to compromise the dispute over the $5,000,900 filtration bond issue and to settle the matter outside of the courts, which the city administration was anxious to do, have come to naught because of the refusal of the prospective bond buyers to buy any of the bonds unless the court first passes judgment on them and declares them legal.

The firms in Pittsburgh and the east, from which were received bids on the last bond issue and which intend to bid for the issue of $5,000,000, have given notice that they will not bid until the matter has gone through the courts and the cloud raised by Controller Larkin's objections has been removed. The bankers have taken this stand regardless of the merit or lack in the controversy.

The refusal of the controller to advertise the bonds for sale on the grounds that they are illegal, caused the investors to withdraw until the courts have dealt with the matter. Even should the controller agree to waive his objections and agree to advertise the bonds for sale, the bankers would keep out because they will not invest their money in anything against which there is even a suspicion of illegality. Notice to this effect has been given to the city officials within the past few days, and the administration has no alternative but to take the controller into court.

Controller Larkin said yesterday that he would not compromise the matter even if it were possible. He said he had refused to advertise the bonds for good reasons and he could not afford to recede from that position. The controller said he had received a letter from Mayor Hays in relation to the bond issue and had written the mayor a letter in reply. Neither would disclose the contents of the letters.

Realizing that there is no course but to go ahead and mandamus the controller the administration is preparing to bring suit before the supreme court, which may be delayed until the court holds its first fall session next month.

CONFERENCE MEETS.

Gathering of Prominent Negro Religious Workers in John Wesley Chapel.

Many prominent negro religious workers gathered in the John Wesley A. M. E. Zion church, Arthur street, yesterday. The occasion was the annual conference of the A. M. E. Zion denomination. Bishop J. B. Small, D. D., of York, presided.

The conference organized with the following officers: B. F. Cambach, secretary; H. J. Williams, recording secretary; M. F. A. Easton, statistical secretary; J. H. Anderson, compiler and publisher of the minutes and reporter; H. S. Simmons and B. Dorsey, marshals, and C. S. Holmes, past master. Bishop George W. Clinton of Charlotte, N. C., will assist Bishop Small in conducting the conference. There are over 100 ministers present, many of them men who are noted in the work of the African church. The conference will be in session about a week.

The annual sermon was delivered by the Rev. D. F. Bradley of Franklin, after the communion had been administered by the bishop. Several general officers are in attendance. Among these are the Rev. Dr. M. R. Franklin of Philadelphia, the Rev. Dr. W. H. Coffey of Philadelphia, the Rev. Dr. J. F. Moreland of Charlotte, N. C., Prof. J. S. Atkins of Winston, N. C., and the Hon. John C. Dancy, recorder of deeds, Washington, D. C. The conference will meet in executive session this morning at 9 o'clock.

SCHMIDT IS REMOVED.

Police Trial Board Dismisses Former Inspector for Gambling and Suspends Officer Cavanaugh.

At the meeting of the police trial board yesterday Officer Ferdinand Schmidt of the Penn avenue station was dismissed from the service on a charge of conducting a gambling house at 313 Ella street. Schmidt was arrested in a raid last Sunday and was fined $50 and costs by Magistrate Kane, and suspended pending the result of the finding of the police board yesterday.

Schmidt's career on the police force has been irregular. He was appointed as inspector of No. 3 district when the present administration went into office. He did not meet with the expectations of Director Moore and was reduced to a patrolman.

Schmidt says he is the victim of a plot, and alleges that the poker game in progress at his home was a friendly one. A number of persons appeared at the hearing in his defense, but he said he realized it would be useless for them to testify as the trial board was determined to dispose of him. The police were informed of Schmidt's place through an anonymous letter sent by a woman who said her son was playing cards at the house.

Policeman John Cavanaugh of the Central station squad, was recommended for a 90-day suspension on a charge of conduct unbecoming an officer. Several weeks ago he invited two men in an alley to fight, because they had insulted him.

IN THE THEATERS.

Comic Opera to Comedy, and Musical Extravagaza to Melodrama and Vaudeville Next Week's Menu.

Seats go on sale this morning for the engagement of Fritzi Scheff at the Nixon theater next week. The little prima donna will appear in a new comedy opera, "The Two Roses," by Ludwig Englander and Stanislaus Stange. She is said to have a role which exhibits to best advantage all those qualities which have made her one of the most popular stars appearing before the American public today.

In the long list of attractive plays comprising the repertoire of the stock company at the Avenue this season, there is nothing that will be received with more genuine pleasure than "The Professor's Love Story," announced for production next week. Familiar to Pittsburgh theatergoers through its presentation here from time to time by Mr. E. S. Willard, it is recalled as one of the most charming plays ever presented in this city, and it should afford Manager Davis' superior company, an unusually entertaining vehicle.

The advance sale of seats for the approaching engagement of Arthur Dunn in "The Runaways," at the Duquesne theater next week, indicates a wide interest in this Shubert and Nixon and Zimmerman play. In view of the fact that this will be the original production, just as it was presented for more than seven months at the New York Casino, there is every reason to believe that the attraction will be a successful one.

At the Grand opera house next week there will be two headliners, Frederick Bond and company and Helene Girard. Mr. Bond will present a new sketch of a decidedly amusing character. Helene Girard will introduce her famous trained American steeds. Lew Sully, the monologist, will be among the comedy features, also Stinson and Merton.

Romance, humor and pathos, interwoven in an absorbingly interesting manner, are presented in "On the Bridge at Midnight," at the Empire next week, with George Klimt and Alma Hearn in the leading roles. They bring with them a cast of competent actors and carry an elaborate scenic production.

Several thousand dollars were spent in experiments last season by Spencer & Aborn in their scenic production of "Hearts Adrift," the final result being a perfect exhibition—an airship, bearing a half-dozen passengers, flying through the clouds. "Hearts Adrift," with E. L. Snader and a strong cast, is the Bijou offering next week.

Next week the Academy's offering will be Bob Manchester's "Cracker Jack Burlesquers," the show that has made a reputation from Maine to California, this season being in its entirety new, except in name. There is a coterie of vaudeville artists, each a novelty in himself. Bob Van Osten and Sam J. Adams head the list of comedians.

SON OF PASTOR REES HAS ELECTED TO FOLLOW HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Raymond Sigler Rees.

Raymond Sigler Rees, son of the Rev. Dr. W. H. W. Rees, pastor of the Smithfield Street Methodist Episcopal church, has been granted a license to preach by the quarterly conference of the Smithfield street church, where he delivered his first address last night. Mr. Rees is not yet 21 years of age. He has been studying at the Allegheny college, Meadville, and gives promise of a successful career in the ministry.

Dr. Rees, who has just closed his third year with the Smithfield street church, has been unanimously asked to return. During the three years of his pastorate 350 people have united with the church, and after all removals by certificate and otherwise there is a net gain of 250 to the membership. The congregations are very large and the church is prosperous. The church might well be called the "Church of the Strangers," or for the stranger, which would be better. The music is of high grade and at the same time soulful. The Epworth league Sunday evening meetings average an attendance of 250 and is a marked feature of the church's life.

POSSE CHASING NEGRO WHO ATTACKED WOMAN

Cambria County Citizens With Dogs and Guns Are Now Scouring the Woods.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Sept. 21.—Patton, a little town in the northern part of Cambria county, was thrown into the wildest excitement by an attack upon Mrs. Emma Bozzen by an unknown negro. Posses numbering between 250 and 300 men, with several constables and almost a score of dogs, are attempting to trail the woman's assailant. Up to midnight no trace of him had been found. Mrs. Bozzen, with her husband, left home to visit her mother in St. Boniface this morning. A teamster found the woman almost dead. He placed her in his wagon and drove to Patton. The woman was taken to her home and physicians summoned.

When she recovered she said about three-quarters of a mile out of Patton a negro sprung out of the bushes and grasped her. He dragged her into the bushes. This was at half past 9 o'clock this morning and it was not until 3 o'clock she was found by the teamster. She is in a critical condition.

LEADING MEN TO SPEAK.

Opening of Campaign in Twenty-Eighth Congressional District to Be a Big Affair.

FRANKLIN, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The opening of the Republican campaign in the Twenty-eighth congressional district by Congressman J. C. Sibley, September 29, is assuming national importance. Arrangements are being made to accommodate 10,000 people. There will be a barbeque.

The following speakers will be present besides Mr. Sibley: Congressman Joseph Babcock, Wisconsin; Congressman A. J. Bede, Minnesota; Congressman John Dalzell, Pennsylvania; Congressman Edward Hamilton, Michigan; Congressman William P. Hepburn, Iowa; Congressman John A. Hull, Iowa; Congressman Jesse Overstreet, Indiana; Congressman James A. Sherman, New York; Congressman Edward H. Vreeland, New York; Sergeant-at-Arms Casson of the house; Clerk Alexander McDowell of the house, and James Francis Burke of Pittsburgh.

AID SUMMONED BY DOG.

Friends Found the Master in His Boat, Was Stricken With Apoplexy.

WILKESBARRE, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—A faithful dog owned by Hiram Van Buskirk barked and carried on Saturday until friends of Van Buskirk followed the animal to the river, where they saw Van Buskirk's boat floating down the river.

They rowed out and found the owner had been stricken with apoplexy while fishing and the dog had swam ashore to give the alarm. Van Buskirk died this morning. The dog has been inconsolable since.

Ezell Has Been Identified.

BELLEVERNON, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Up to a late hour tonight nothing has been heard from J. S. Dugan, chief of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie detective force, who yesterday went to Buena Visto, Va., after James W. Ezell, charged with murdering Yardmaster Porter. This is taken as an evidence that Ezell has agreed to return without requisition papers. He has been positively identified.

Philadelphia Congressional Nominees.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—The Democrats of this city made the following congressional nominations tonight: First district, Joseph L. Galen; Second district, John Cadwalader, Jr.; Third district, John H. Fow; Fourth district, Charles F. Stilz; Fifth district, Dr. David Moffatt; Sixth district, William A. Carr.

Democrats Nominate Governor.

DENVER, Sept. 21.—Former Gov. Alva Adams of Pueblo was tonight nominated for governor by the state Democratic convention. The convention then took a recess until tomorrow morning when the rest of the ticket will be nominated.

Republicans Nominate Democrat.

READING, Sept. 21.—Ex-Congressman W. H. Snowden, Democrat, of Allentown, was this afternoon named for congress at a meeting here of the Berks-Lehigh Republican conferees, under sanction of the Republican state organization.

Schmidt Was Against the No. 13 Hoodoo Game

Ferdinand H. Schmidt, the policeman who was yesterday dismissed on the charge of running a gambling house, blames his troubles on the 13 "hoodoo." Schmidt was formerly appointed as inspector on the 13th day of the month. When he was reduced to the ranks he was given "No. 13" badge and assigned to "No. 13" beat. When he was arrested at his home last Sunday, while playing poker, he had just finished winning $13. "It was no wonder he got in trouble," said "Buck" Wallace last night.

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CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Muddy Creek Congregation in Butler County Holds Exercises in Which Prominent Men Participate.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BUTLER, Sept. 21.—The centennial celebration of the founding of the Muddy Creek Presbyterian church was held today. Five hundred people gathered at the church. This morning's services were presided over by the Rev. T. J. Gray of Clintonville. The Rev. J. H. Lowther of Parkers Landing represented the other churches of Butler presbytery, and extended greetings to Muddy Creek congregation. Response was made by the Rev. David Porter Williams of Natrona. After lunch the Rev. Charles N. Moore of Slippery Rock presided and the Hon. William A. Christian of Unionville conducted devotional exercises. Attorney William C. Findley of Butler read a historical sketch of the church. Ex-Sheriff John T. Kelley of Butler spoke on the war record of the church when 46 of her sons joined the Union army. Addresses were also made by the Rev. Edwin R. Worrell of Butler, the Rev. Sloan of Concord church, Prof. James Rowe of West Middlesex, clerk of the Butler presbytery, and the closing address was made by the Rev. Willis S. McNees of North Hope.

Yesterday the fall meeting of the Butler presbytery was held in the church. Walter J. McConkey was received as a candidate for the ministry. The Rev. Hugh Leith, Zelienople; the Rev. George M. Robinson, Parker; the Rev. James M. Pittenger, Muddy Creek, and Laymen Tweed, Kelly, Bruin, Nelson, Thompson, Muddy Creek, and I. M. McClymonds, Slippery Rock, were elected delegates to the meeting of the synod at Oxford, Pa., in October. The overtures sent down from the general assembly on union with the Cumberland Presbyterian church, on separate presbyteries for colored and foreign churches and on judicial commissions were adopted. Butler was selected as the next meeting place.

Want Relatives of Margaret Jones.

Information has been received by the department of state at Washington, D. C., from the legation of The Netherlands in Washington of the death of Margaret Jones of Pittsburgh on June 8 at sea. At the time of the sinking of the Norge, a steamship of the Danish line, when over 500 persons were drowned by the vessel sinking off the English coast, it was reported that the Jones woman and her brother had taken passage on the Norge. The state department is advertising for the legal representatives of the deceased.

Hoo-Doo Following Reynolds.

While returning from a fire in Bluff street, above the South Tenth street bridge, the hose carriage of engine company No. 4 was struck by a Bloomfield car at Forbes and Miltenberger streets last night. The firemen all escaped injury by jumping. About a week ago the same carriage was struck by a car and the driver, William Reynolds, was knocked off and seriously hurt. Reynolds was making his first trip since he was hurt when last night's collision occurred.

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Leading steel men estimate that the number of heretofore idle steel workers who have within 10 days been given steady work in the Pittsburgh district and elsewhere is not less than 70,000, and this number may be too low.

This increase brings the total of steel workmen now employed to about 85 per cent, which compares with about 70 per cent a month ago.

It is the belief of well posted trade men that the gain thus made will be held at least until the close of the year. It is apparent that many of the new orders upon which the various mills are working call for deliveries some time in the fourth quarter of this year, or in the first quarter of 1905, which means that the mills must turn out the products as soon as possible.

Contracts like the big one the Carnegie Steel Company secured from Japan insures steady work for a considerable period and at as lively a rate as the specifications can be secured.

There is a well defined belief that the railroad orders for equipment and for track and bridge supplies will come in at a steady rate after October 1, and that this new business will be supplemented in the new year by rush orders for other material which will insure a big steel and iron business for the first quarter of the new year.

FRANK A. PARKER.

STEEL EXPORT INCREASING.

United States Steel Corporation's Foreign Trade Shows Rapid Growth—Carnegie Company Furnishes Half.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The export trade of the United States Steel Corporation is increasing rapidly. By the first of the year it is expected to be large enough to prove a factor in gross earnings. Last month the net increase in all products over July was not less than 18 per cent, and this month it will be larger.

The corporation will soon begin delivery of armor nickel plate to Japan and of steel rails to Canada. The Carnegie Steel Company of the corporation is turning out about 50 per cent of all the export product.

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If you anticipate needing furniture at an early date, visit the store before Friday evening. The immensity and character of the stock offered at sale prices will surprise you and impress upon you the importance of buying now.

Only the best makes of furniture are represented here and we ask your critical inspection of the entire stock of this establishment. This store has been crowded with buyers and Thursday and Friday will see some busy selling.

The prices quoted in the following list are selected at random from throughout the stock.

Thursday and Friday Last Two Days of the Sale

DINING ROOM FURNITURE

Sideboard, mahogany	$190.00,	Sale Price	$150.00
Sideboard, Antwerp oak	175.00,	Sale Price	145.00
Sideboard, golden oak	135.00,	Sale Price	110.00
Sideboard, Flemish	160.00,	Sale Price	100.00
Sideboard, Antwerp oak	120.00,	Sale Price	95.00
Sideboard, golden oak	95.00,	Sale Price	80.00
Sideboard, mahogany	88.50,	Sale Price	70.00
Sideboard, golden oak	68.00,	Sale Price	50.00
Sideboard, golden oak	55.00,	Sale Price	40.00
Buffet, golden oak	88.00,	Sale Price	60.00
Buffet, golden oak	77.00,	Sale Price	58.00
Buffet, weathered oak	55.00,	Sale Price	43.00
Buffet, golden oak	48.00,	Sale Price	32.00
Buffet, weathered oak	33.00,	Sale Price	25.00
Buffet, golden oak	33.00,	Sale Price	24.00
China Closet, mahogany	110.00,	Sale Price	90.00
China Closet, Antwerp oak	110.00,	Sale Price	90.00
China Closet, mahogany	66.00,	Sale Price	55.00
China Closet, golden oak	65.00,	Sale Price	45.00
China Closet, golden oak	44.00,	Sale Price	34.00
China Closet, weathered oak	38.00,	Sale Price	30.00
China Closet, mahogany	95.00,	Sale Price	80.00
China Closet, golden oak	32.00,	Sale Price	25.00
China Closet, Antwerp oak	21.00,	Sale Price	16.00
Extension Table, mahogany	89.00,	Sale Price	66.00
Extension Table, mahogany	66.00,	Sale Price	50.00
Extension Table, Antwerp oak,	65.00,	Sale Price	50.00
Extension Table, w'thered oak,	55.00,	Sale Price	42.00
Extension Table, Antwerp oak,	44.00,	Sale Price	34.00
Extension Table, golden oak	45.00,	Sale Price	32.00
Extension Table, w'thered oak,	44.00,	Sale Price	32.00
Extension Table, Antwerp oak.	31.00,	Sale Price	24.00
Extension Table, golden oak	18.00,	Sale Price	15.00

PARLOR FURNITURE

Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	$225.00,	Sale Price	$175.00
Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	130.00,	Sale Price	80.00
Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	110.00,	Sale Price	75.00
Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	90.00,	Sale Price	70.00
Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	72.00,	Sale Price	60.00
Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	55.00,	Sale Price	42.00
Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	54.00,	Sale Price	40.00
Suite, mahogany, three pieces,	40.00,	Sale Price	30.00
Odd Chair, mahogany	30.00,	Sale Price	20.00
Odd Chair mahogany	25.00,	Sale Price	15.00
Odd Chair, mahogany	24.00,	Sale Price	15.00
Odd Chair, mahogany	17.00,	Sale Price	10.00
Odd Chair, mahogany	12.00,	Sale Price	7.50

BRASS BEDS

Brass Bed	$135.00,	Sale Price	$100.00
Brass Bed	90.00,	Sale Price	75.00
Brass Bed	80.00,	Sale Price	50.00
Brass Bed	60.00,	Sale Price	45.00
Brass Bed	45.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Brass Bed	32.00,	Sale Price	25.00

IRON BEDS

Iron Bed	$22.00,	Sale Price	$14.00
Iron Bed	20.00,	Sale Price	13.00
Iron Bed	18.00,	Sale Price	12.00
Iron Bed	16.00,	Sale Price	10.00
Iron Bed	11.00,	Sale Price	8.00

LIBRARY FURNITURE

Bookcase, mahogany	$ 95.00,	Sale Price	$ 75.00
Bookcase, golden oak	95.00,	Sale Price	65.00
Bookcase, mahogany	65.00,	Sale Price	46.00
Bookcase, golden oak	54.00,	Sale Price	38.00
Bookcase, golden oak	45.00,	Sale Price	36.00
Bookcase, mahogany	48.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Bookcase, golden oak	44.00,	Sale Price	32.00
Bookcase, mahogany	32.00,	Sale Price	22.00
Bookcase, weathered oak	28.00,	Sale Price	22.00
Bookcase, weathered oak	20.00,	Sale Price	15.00
Davenport, mahogany	110.00,	Sale Price	85.00
Davenport, mahogany	90.00,	Sale Price	70.00
Davenport, mahogany	85.00,	Sale Price	56.00
Davenport, golden oak	48.00,	Sale Price	38.00
Davenport, mahogany	44.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Leather Rocker, golden oak	68.00,	Sale Price	50.00
Leather Rocker, golden oak	44.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Leather Rocker, mahogany	37.00,	Sale Price	28.00
Leather Chair, mahogany	55.00,	Sale Price	40.00
Leather Chair, mahogany	25.00,	Sale Price	18.00
Leather Chair, golden oak	22.00,	Sale Price	18.00
Table, mahogany	70.00,	Sale Price	55.00
Table, mahogany	56.00,	Sale Price	40.00
Table, mahogany	44.00,	Sale Price	34.00
Table, golden oak	32.00,	Sale Price	24.00
Table, weathered oak	28.00,	Sale Price	20.00
Table, mahogany	21.00,	Sale Price	15.00
Table, weathered oak	20.00,	Sale Price	16.00

BEDROOM FURNITURE

Suite, mahogany	$185.00,	Sale Price	$140.00
Suite, mahogany	160.00,	Sale Price	125.00
Suite, mahogany	125.00,	Sale Price	90.00
Suite, mahogany	100.00,	Sale Price	75.00
Suite, mahogany	68.00,	Sale Price	50.00
Suite, golden oak	185.00,	Sale Price	140.00
Suite, golden oak	150.00,	Sale Price	110.00
Suite, golden oak	87.00,	Sale Price	65.00
Suite, golden oak	70.00,	Sale Price	58.00
Suite, golden oak	50.00,	Sale Price	38.00
Suite, maple	68.00,	Sale Price	50.00
Dresser, mahogany	110.00,	Sale Price	85.00
Dresser, mahogany	95.00,	Sale Price	72.00
Dresser, mahogany	88.00,	Sale Price	70.00
Dresser, mahogany	66.00	Sale Price	50.00
Dresser, mahogany	54.00,	Sale Price	42.00
Dresser, mahogany	44.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Dresser, mahogany	44.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Dresser, mahogany	37.00,	Sale Price	30.00
Dresser, maple	54.00,	Sale Price	45.00
Dresser, maple	44.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Dresser, maple	32.00,	Sale Price	23.00
Dresser, golden oak	44.00,	Sale Price	34.00
Dresser, golden oak	40.00,	Sale Price	32.00
Dresser, golden oak	25.00,	Sale Price	20.00
Chiffonier, mahogany	88.00,	Sale Price	70.00
Chiffonier, mahogany	75.00,	Sale Price	58.00
Chiffonier, mahogany	60.00,	Sale Price	48.00
Chiffonier, mahogany	43.00,	Sale Price	33.00
Chiffonier, mahogany	32.00,	Sale Price	25.00
Chiffonier, golden oak	43.00,	Sale Price	32.00
Chiffonier, golden oak	24.00,	Sale Price	18.00
Chiffonier, maple	43.00,	Sale Price	32.00
Chiffonier, maple	32.00,	Sale Price	22.00
Dressing Table, mahogany	40.00,	Sale Price	28.00
Dressing Table, mahogany	28.00,	Sale Price	20.00
Dressing Table, mahogany	25.00,	Sale Price	18.00
Dressing Table, golden oak	21.00,	Sale Price	15.00

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DARING WOMAN RUNS BLOCKADE

Officer's Wife Escapes from Port Arthur With Prince Radzivil.

SCENES IN BELEAGUERED CITY

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHEFOO, Sept. 21.—Mrs. Anna Kravtchenko, the English wife of a Russian army officer, who arrived here the night of September 17, with Lieut. Prince Radziwil, from Port Arthur, is the first woman to run the blockade from the Russian stronghold since the Japanese increased their vigilance to prevent egress from the port. Her trip was rendered extremely perilous because she came out with the prince and his companion, Lieut. Christoforoff, who carried messages from Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel, the commander at Port Arthur, to Gen. Kuropatkin. Both these officers were disguised, and had they been captured by the Japanese they certainly would have been executed.

Mrs. Kravtchenko in an interview today said:

"We left Port Arthur at 8 o'clock on the night of September 15. There was a good wind and the moon was bright. We were successful in avoiding the danger of the first Japanese blockading line. We came up to the second line when the moon was under a cloud. Searchlights were flashing on all sides, but our junk was not discovered. We suddenly discovered ourselves close to another junk with a Japanese crew on board. They presumably were pirates, but we outsailed them and drew away.

"At 6 o'clock the next morning we saw a steamer coming in our direction. She had the appearance of a cruiser, and I was terribly frightened. Prince Radziwil and Lieut Christoforoff went below. I stretched myself out on deck, and covered myself with dirty blankets. For nearly an hour, although nearly smothered, I kept my position. I never uttered a more thankful prayer than when I was informed that the steamer was a Red Cross vessel, and that her captain had no intention of overhauling us.

"Wonderful things are being done by the staffs of the different hospitals at Port Arthur, who are assisted by ladies. There are 30 nurses for each thousand patients. The ladies devote most of their time to making clothes for the soldiers. The laundry work is done by the poor women and the wives of the enlisted men. The sick and wounded are thus kept supplied with clean clothing.

"There are no contagious diseases at Port Arthur, but many deaths are resulting from the bite of a large, redheaded fly, which feeds on the decomposing corpses scattered over the battlefields. A doctor who was bitten on the thumb by one of these flies instantly severed that member. He had his arm amputated, but not before the poison had reached his heart. The result of the bite was fatal.

"Every day in the week the band plays at one of the hospitals.

"The wounded men recover quickly from the wounds inflicted by Maxim projectiles and by the bullet of the Osaka rifle, but the wounds resulting from explosive bullets are awful, and recovery is impossible.

"The old town of Port Arthur is almost entirely wrecked. The streets are filled with holes made by exploding shells. The loss of life from the bombardment has been remarkably small. Once I counted 57 Japanese shells fired at a Russian battery, not one of which reached its mark.

"The Russian garrison is cheerful. It would be impossible to imagine a braver set of men. They return from their day's duty in the trenches with songs on their lips."

STILL WAITING ON PECK.

Grievance Committee of the O. R. T. Appears to Have Kindliest Feeling for Pennsylvania Lines.

As soon as General Manager George L. Peck of the Pennsylvania Lines West returns here from the inspection trip he is making, some definite developments are looked for in the matter of the trainmen's demands. The grievance committee of the organization hopes to have an opportunity to confer with Mr. Peck soon after he gets back here, and after the conference a formal statement will be made making clear the position the men have taken.

The members of the O. R. T. seem to be showing a very considerate spirit. One of the members of the committee said: "We very much regret that so much publicity has been given our affairs. Even rumors of a strike have a tendency to hurt the business of a railway corporation. We have no desire to harm the Pennsylvania by making shippers timid. We do not want to appear in an unfriendly attitude toward the Pennsylvania or any other road. In the past we have had very little trouble with the company, and we have the kindliest feeling toward its officers."

AFTER THE AMERICAN.

Window Glass Jobbers Discover Big Company Is Selling Direct to the Trade.

The discovery that the American Window Glass Company is selling direct to the retail trade has caused a big hubbub among the glass jobbers, and there are prospects that they will unite, both east and west, to refuse to handle the American's product. The American has established agencies in Boston, New York, New Orleans and Chicago, and has gone after the trade in that manner.

The western jobbers now have a good organization and have appointed a committee, of which two members are J. Smiley Wightman and Capt. C. W. Brown of Pittsburgh, to meet representatives of eastern jobbers for the purpose of forming a national organization. The old association was disbanded about a year ago.

The wage committee of the National Association of Window Glass Manufacturers will meet the committee of the Amalgamated Window Glass Workers at Erie today to arrange a scale.

MURDERER ORDERS CLOTHES.

Negro Calahan Wishes to Look Nice, for Benefit of Those Who See Him Executed.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—James Calahan, the negro who will be executed at the Washington county jail on October 4, for the murder of Moss Bay, today had measurements taken for the suit of clothes which he will wear at the execution. Calahan's friends will pay for an expensive suit, the style of which was dictated by the condemned man. He specified the material should be black and that the coat should be long and the trousers full. He demanded black hosiery with red stripes, and a standing collar.

He asked that the clothes be ready on Saturday, as he wished to wear them his last two Sundays on earth, in order to become accustomed to them.

Monthly Meetings Resumed.

After a vacation season since last June, the Railway club, composed of engineering, operating and other officials of railways entering Pittsburgh, will resume its monthly meetings with a dinner, followed by a smoker, at the Hotel Henry, Friday evening. This club is one of the most influential railroad organizations of Pittsburgh, it combining practical work and talk with its fun, and the meetings are a source of profit as well as pleasure to the members.

Hits Rival and Is Arrested.

John Fleming of 416 Sarah street, South Side, was arrested last night on complaint of Robert Williams of Carson street. Fleming and Williams are fond of the same girl and Fleming is alleged to have struck Williams in the face when he found him about to take the girl to the exposition last evening.

Hospital's First Patient.

The new St. Joseph's hospital, South Side, yesterday received its first patient. He is Frank Mhorchic, a miner, of Willock station. Some time ago he was injured by a fall of slate in a mine and was hurt about the head, receiving an injury to the skull.

WILL MARK AN HISTORIC ERA

Body of Interparliamentarians Will Present Resolution to the President.

AIMS TO END EASTERN WAR

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Sir Philip Stanhope, president of the British delegation to the interparliamentary union, speaking of the resolution passed by the union in St. Louis, calling for intervention to put an end to the Russo-Japanese war, said today:

The resolution will be presented to the president on our arrival at Washington by a committee of one member from every nation represented at the session at St. Louis, followed by the entire body of the interparliamentary union—about 200 men—all members of national parliaments. It will be a scene unparalleled in political history. For England, the scene of Runnymede is perhaps the nearest counterpart. For America the call for the constitutional convention of 1787 is even more nearly a counterpart.

Not that we expect a constitution for the united nations—which would be a perfect international counterpart to your Constitution of the United States—to issue from this conference when it convenes. But the calling of this conference, the granting of jurisdiction to The Hague court, and the constitution of a permanent congress of nations, for discussion of, even without authority to pass upon, internationals questions, will be a positive step in this direction. Once taken there can be no permanent recession from it.

Such a parliament of nations, once created in connection with The Hague court, will constitute a union of nations which will gradually grow in power and become the means of ultimately substituting a judicial and legislative course, for war between nations. As this international organism perfects itself, it will powerfully contribute to the perfecting of each constituent member, and hasten the day when all nations shall assume their final form—in the image and likeness of the United States—to which, as Mr. Bryce has truly said, they are all now tending, 'some with swifter, some with slower, but all with unresting feet.'

MANY EXCURSIONISTS EXPECTED AT THE EXPO

All Railroads Have Granted Low Rates. Two Military Organizations Will Hear Herbert's Orchestra.

This is excursion day to the Pittsburgh exposition on all the railroads, and thousands of country people will take advantage of the low rates to come to the city on shopping expeditions, concluding with an afternoon at the exposition.

The Sixth Pennsylvania heavy artillery will conclude its reunion in Allegheny today with a visit to the exposition early this evening. The Swift Mission Boys' brigade, several hundred strong, will attend the Herbert concerts. Arrangements have been made for them to give an exhibition drill down the center aisle of the main building.

Mr. Herbert's first concert opens with Gounod's grand march from "The Queen of Sheba." In the same program he pays a compliment to Pittsburgh composers by introducing in a two-part number works by the two Nevins, the first being Ethelbert Nevin's "Venetian Love Song" and the second his brother Arthur Nevin's "Butterflies."

The opening number of the second concert tonight is Tschaikowsky's magnificent overture, "1812." This work is descriptive of Napoleon's attack on Moscow. Both the French "Marseillaise" and the Russian hymn are introduced and elaborated upon, as is an old Russian chant, which forms the opening, and is heard again when the ringing of the bells and the reports of cannon announce the victory of the Russians. The program for the two matinee concerts today follow:

2 P. M.

March, "The Belle of Pittsburgh"	Herbert
Overture, "Bohemian Girl"	Balfe
La Lettre de Manon	Gillet
Two Hungarian Dances	Brahms
Fantasie, from the comic opera, "The Wizard of the Nile"	Herbert

4 P. M.

Overture, "Zampa"	Herold
The Two Grenadiers	Schumann
Suite, "La Source" (The Fountain)	Delibes
a Scarf Dance.	
b Andante (Horn solo, Mr. Fritz Koch).	
c Variation.	
d Dance Circassienne.	
Waltz, "The Skaters"	Waldteufel
Grand Fantasie from "Martha"	Flotow

RAILWAY MAN WAS MIXED.

Tancred Commandery Not to Arrive Home Until This Evening.

Owing to an error on the part of some person connected with the Panhandle railway, it was announced yesterday that Tancred commandery, Knights Templar, would be home last evening. The Pittsburgh contingent had been confused with St. Mary's commandery of Philadelphia. St. Mary's arrived last evening in good time, but Tancred did not leave St. Louis until 10:30 last night and will arrive home some time this afternoon.

St. Mary's is the oldest commandery of Knights Templar in America and one of the largest and wealthiest. The commandery had a big special train last evening and came in as second No. 6. A big crowd had gathered at Union station to welcome the Tancred men back and there were many disappointments when it was explained that the Steel City men would not be along for another 24 hours.

Baptist Congregation Celebrating.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The congregation of the Bethlehem Baptist church at Ruffs Creek, is today and tomorrow celebrating its 61st anniversary. The first session was held tonight when the opening sermon was preached in the presence of several hundred people by the Rev. James Miller of Pittsburgh, a former pastor. Three sessions will be held tomorrow. Addresses will be made by the Revs. James Miller, E. K. Bailey, A. J. Adams, C. W. Rookwell and W. H. McKlveen, former pastors.

Italians Suspicious of Howley.

Believing they were about to be defrauded out of their wages, a gang of Italians employed by Contractor William E. Howley attacked him yesterday morning and refused to allow him to remove his tools and engines to another locality. He managed to beat them off and made information against 13 of them before Justice Walker of Wilkinsburg, charging disorderly conduct. Last night four of them were committed to jail for a hearing.

The Rev. Dr. Milligan Weds.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The marriage of the Rev. Dr. T. W. Milligan and Miss Elizabeth J. Reinhart, both of Waynesburg, O., was solemnized at the home of the bride yesterday by the Rev. W. E. Hill of this city. Dr. Milligan for years was pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city.

Small Boys Confess to Theft.

Magistrate Abernathey of Allegheny yesterday held John Black, Lawrence Dailey, Cornelius Dailey and William Elisbech, for the juvenile court on charges of larceny preferred by Mrs. Mary Mayer of 714 Taylor avenue. The lads confessed to taking $50 from a trunk in the Mayer home last Monday.

Load of Hay Was Burned.

A redhot bolt, falling from the new Fort Wayne railroad bridge over Hanover street, yesterday afternoon, set fire to a load of hay on a wagon belonging to Milton Logan of Marshall township. The chemical wagon from No. 5 engine house hurried to the scene, but the hay was entirely consumed.

Democratic Split in Denver.

DENVER, COL., Sept. 21.—Clay B. Whitford of Denver was nominated for congress by the Democratic convention of the First Colorado district today. James P. Mullins was also placed in nomination by a convention of Democratic bolters.

Many Hebrew Soldiers Killed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—(Special Cable.)—Worthy of notice is the fact that a great number of Hebrews figure in the list of Russian soldiers killed at Liao-Yang.

BRIDGE FOREMAN KILLS HIMSELF

H. W. McClain Never Recovered from Shock Caused by Wabash Traveler Breaking.

HAD BEEN ARRESTED TUESDAY

Hugh W. McClain of 204 Boggs avenue, Mt. Washington, a foreman for the George A. Fuller company, ended with a drink of carbolic acid, at 8 o'clock last night, a life that had been wretched for a year. His despondency started with the accident that killed 10 bridge builders when the traveling crane on the Wabash bridge over the Monongahela fell last October. Tuesday night he was arrested for abusing his wife, but on her plea he was discharged yesterday morning, and last night he took his life.

McClain was 48 years old and was well known in the structural steel business in this section. He was one of the foremen on the Wabash bridge work, and the fatal accident to his men gave him a shock from which he never fully recovered. It ended in his becoming a hard drinker.

Tuesday night after he had been drinking he went to his home and quarreled with his wife. She became frightened and had him arrested, but yesterday morning when he was brought before Magistrate Stewart his wife and daughter appeared to intercede for him. He was discharged.

He returned to his home and all day remained there, brooding over his conduct. Last night he went to his room and drank about an ounce of carbolic acid. Death followed.

Hickman W. Leonard, a carpenter, aged 48, of 2623 Hamilton street, South Side, killed himself by drinking laudanum mixed with whisky at his home yesterday morning. He had been afflicted with stomach trouble. His wife heard him moaning and called a doctor, but the poison had taken effect.

WILL TALK FOR BETTER SALARIES FOR TEACHERS

Public Meeting Will Be Held on the South Side—Prominent Men Favor Movement.

In their campaign for higher salaries the Teachers' association will this evening hold a meeting in the South Side Turner hall, South Thirteenth street, and give residents of that district an opportunity to learn what the teachers in the public schools are doing, and why they ask for an increase in salary. Among those who will discuss "Our Public Schools and Their Needs," are Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, state superintendent of public instruction, and Dr. A. J. Barchfeld of the South Side.

A musical program will be furnished by Miss McKelvy, Mr. and Mrs. Smink, Mr. Krager, Margaret Stoerkel, Miss Ritter and Miss Klein.

The association is receiving favorable replies to letters sent to business and professional men asking for expressions of opinion on the salary campaign. Harry Moore, director of the department of public safety, writes he believes competent teachers should receive as much remuneration for their labors as persons of equal ability do in the mercantile business. The Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, D. D., Protestant Episcopal bishop of Pittsburgh, writes the teachers are doing a noble work and that equity, appreciation and generosity all cry out for an increase in teachers' salaries.

Dr. William E. Hallock of Shadyside makes the point that as the Pittsburgh public school system is far above the average of most other cities, the teachers should be given the best pay for the talent they use in making the schools what they are. Dr. J. Guy McCandless, who has been a school director for many years, says the teachers have never been paid what they deserve.

CROOKS AFTER THIEVES.

Policeman Lives Up to His Name and Gets Three Alleged Ones Easily.

"I will take $10 for this $250 sealskin cape," said Benjamin Morgan, colored, of Station street, in a Frankstown second-hand store yesterday afternoon. Before the proprietor had time to answer, Morgan was grabbed and taken to the East End police station, where he was locked up, charged with being a suspicious person. Special Officer Homer E. Crooks, who was sitting behind a stove in the second-hand store when Morgan came in, made the arrest.

Morgan is about 40 years old. He said the cape was given him by a young man who was standing outside waiting for his share of the money in case the coat sold. On the way to the station with Morgan the officer found the man that Morgan said stole the property. He gave his name as Alfred Redpath, and his address as 421 Euclid avenue. He was picked up, too, and charged with being a suspicious person. He is 19 years old.

Officer Crooks was busy last night also. He arrested Raymond Cron of 5474 Penn avenue as a suspicious person. Cron is accused of stealing a $75 gold watch from W. McAllister, report of which was made to the police some time ago.

CAR SHORTAGE CLOSES MINES.

Pittsburgh Coal Company Seriously Affected by Lack of Railroad Equipment.

One of the first instances of a serious shortage of railroad cars for many months, was experienced yesterday by the Pittsburgh Coal Company, when 13 mines were closed on account of inability to secure railroad equipment. The rush orders in the Connellsville district, the heavy grain movement and other causes, which are indicative of an improved condition of general trade, are responsible for the car shortage.

That such a shortage would be experienced this fall was foretold in The Gazette of a month ago, but was not believed by those not in touch with the situation. The prospects at present are that it will be much worse before the year has ended.

ARGENTINA HAS SOLD NO SHIPS TO RUSSIA

BUENOS AYRES, Sept. 21.—Senor Betbader, minister of marine of the Argentine Republic, when interviewed today regarding the report that four warships purchased from Argentina had been added to the Russian Baltic squadron, declared that the report was without foundation.

Bank Officers Elected.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The First National bank of Washington reorganized today by electing these officers: President, S. M. Templeton; first vice president, D. M. Donehoo; second vice president, John W. Seaman; cashier, Charles S. Ritchie; assistant cashiers, Joseph Zeit and Robert L. McCarrell. The board of directors elected consists of the following: C. S. Ritchie, R. L. McCarrell, A. M. Brown, John W. Seaman, William Paul, S. M. Templeton, D. M. Donehoo and H. B. Duncan.

Pittsburgher Charged With Abduction.

BUTLER, Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Joseph Hoeveler, the young Pittsburgher who eloped with Miss Gertrude Troutman, a 15-year-old girl, and who was arrested early this morning on a charge of abduction, had a hearing this afternoon before Justice Henderson Christie and was remanded to jail for trial at court. Hoeveler has not yet secured bail.

Peace Congress to Act Also.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—A resolution urging the various powers of the world signatory of the conventions at The Hague to intervene pacifically, so that the Russo-Japanese war may be terminated, will be presented at the international peace congress, which is to be held in this city beginning October 3.

Dr. Lloyd Elected Bishop.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 21.—The Rev. Dr. Arthur S. Lloyd of New York, secretary of the Episcopal board of missions, was today elected bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Kentucky by the diocesan council.

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AN event of more than ordinary importance. We've worked like Turks preparing for this big trade movement. We've placed immense orders with more than a dozen of the country's biggest and most prominent china manufacturers. We closed out entire surplus lots—in some instances completely cleaning the factory of all their goods on hand, with the result that we're ready with the biggest stock of china and glassware with which we've ever opened up a sale. Besides American products you'll find dinnerware from England, Germany and France. Then there's bric-a-brac of every description—etc., etc., and everything is marked at

Prices that average 1/4 to 1/2 the usual

It's the best opportunity of the year to replenish your china closets, and buy pretty pieces of bric-a-brac for little.

Dinnerware

Grindley's flow blue decorated English porcelain dinner ware, at less than usually asked for the plain white ware.

10c pie plates at 7c.
12c salad plates at 8c.
15c breakfast plates at 9c.
16c dinner plates at 10c.
15c soup plates at 9c.
8c fruit or vegetable saucers, in this sale at 5c.
16c oatmeal saucers, 10c.
5c individual butters, 3c.
16c tea cups and saucers, in this sale at 10c pair.
30c uncovered vegetable dishes in this sale at 10c.
15c oyster bowls, each, 10c.
25c small meat platters, 15c.
40c medium meat platters, in this sale at 25c.
80c large meat platters, 59c.
60c covered sugar bowls, in this sale at 39c.
25c pickle or relish trays, in this sale at 15c.
40c sauce boats at 25c.

Dinner sets

$15 American porcelain dinner sets—100 pieces, dainty miniature rose spray decorations and gold lines on all pieces—this sale.......... 8.88

$7.50 English porcelain dinner sets—underglazed decorations, in two colors—this sale.......... 4.98

$25 genuine Haviland and Guerin china dinner sets—beautifully decorated with flowers and coin gold embellishments, a piece or two missing—per set.......... 14.87

$11 English porcelain dinner sets—100 pieces, "Alexandria" pattern—beautiful border design in blues and greens, this sale..... 7.50

$50 genuine Haviland china dinner sets—exquisitely decorated and embellished with coin gold—this sale.......... 34.98

Fancy china

Decorated china salt and pepper shakers—15c values, each.......... 10c

Fancy decorated china cake or bread plates—50c values, each.......... 25c

Decorated china bread and butter plates—10c values at.......... 5c

Fancy china chocolate pots and cracker jars, richly decorated—$1.50 and $2 values, at.......... 98c

Genuine Wedgewood plates—rich new decorations—import value 25c, this sale, each.......... 10c

Fancy imported bisque figures—daintiest of designs and patterns—$1.50 values at.......... 98c

Fancy decorated tea cups and saucers—worth $2 dozen, at, pair.......... 10c

Fancy china preserve or fruit sets—of large bowl and 6 individual saucers—$1.50 values, per set.......... 85c

Lamps, etc.

Sample banquet lamps—richly decorated with globes to match, gold plated metal ornaments—fitted with central draught burner—$5 values at.......... 2.98

Reception lamps—beautifully decorated with largest globes to match, fitted with central draught burners and fancy metal gold plated trimmings, up to $8 values, at.......... 4.98

Fancy umbrella jars—rich glazed decorations—would be good value at $3, this sale.......... 1.98

Fancy decorated jardiniers—odds and ends selected from our stock and sample pieces—$1.50, $2 and $2.50 values, at.......... 98c

The new bull dog jugs—very appropriate for dining room decoration—large size for 98c, small size.......... 48c

Cut glass

Rich American cut glass celery trays—the Duquesne pattern—$5 values, at.......... 2.98

Sugar and cream sets—rich American cut glass—the emblem pattern—$5.50 sets, at.......... 3.98

Oil or vinegar cruets—fine cut glass, three patterns to choose from, $1.50 values.......... 98c

Cut glass salad or fruit bowls—8-in. size, chrysanthemum and star patterns—$5 values for.......... 3.48

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WHEN the subject of clothing is discussed among residents of Greater Pittsburgh—in almost every instance, the Kaufmann product is held up and classed as the standard of merit. That's because each season it has reached a higher degree of worth, until today it stands on the highest crest of excellence. It is this close adherence to every element of goodness and quality—it is this insatiable desire to improve wherever and whenever improvement is possible, together with the undeviating policy of giving the greatest value for the least outlay—that has brought us our present immense clothing business—a business which ranks with the greatest in the country.

Our 10.00, 12.00 and 15.00 clothing

is better than the sorts you'll find in most stores at $12.50, $15 and $20. Fact prompts this statement. We want you to prove it. You'll not find it a hard matter—we assure you. And then at every price you'll find an assortment fully three times as great as you'll find anywhere else. Is it a wonder we keep old friends, make hosts of new ones each season—and satisfy everyone who wears—Kaufmann clothing?

Annual Sept. blanket sale

begins today. These sales bring decided economies to you—as they comprise the products of the best blanket mills from California to Massachusetts at lower prices than those that regularly prevail. This sale offers a better and more varied assortment of styles and kinds than you will see at any time later in the season. Read the details that follow—they'll hold your attention firmly if you're at all interested in blanket economies.

$6 all wool blankets at 3.98 pair

This exceptional offer embraces 1,000 pairs of all-wool blankets, in white and black or red and black, also western made white wool blankets and all-wool 7-pound army blankets.

200 wool filled bed comforts—silkaline covered, nothing but sanitary wool used—worth $5, at.......... 3.49

1,000 pairs Southern-made crib blankets—with fancy borders, at, pair.......... 49c

25 fancy plaid steamer blankets, 5.00.

25 fancy lounging robes—size 72x86 in., at 5.98.

50 down filled bed comforts—the finest made, sateen covered—worth $7.50, at.......... 5.50

2,000 bed comforts—full size, in light and dark combinations, tufted and sewed—special at 98c

75 Indian robes, high colors, at, each, 4.00.

100 bath robes—imported Yama robes, fancy colors, at 4.00.

Our 3.00 line of footwear

is daily winning over many men and women who have been in the habit of paying $4 elsewhere for their new shoes. A comparison of the merits of the shoes we sell at $3, with the majority of those offered elsewhere for $4 is all that's necessary to prove the truth of our claim that our shoes, although costing a dollar less, are every bit as fine and stylish.

We particularly recommend our "Broadway" shoes for women and "Cornell" shoes for men—each of which come in about twenty-five different styles and leathers.

A growing girl

needs more discriminating taste in dress selection than does her mother. Hard to rig if one doesn't study carefully. Can't go wrong at "The Big Store"—where everything is right—goods, talent, prices.

Girls' splendid $1.75 school dresses at 98c—all nicely made, good and full, in fancy plaids, mixtures, etc., trimmed with silks, velvets, etc., lined throughout, all sizes, 4 to 14 years, in these dresses at only 98c

An excellent school coat for only 1.95—several good styles to choose from, full box back, some with large cape collars, made of medium weight meltons, broadcloths, etc., lined or unlined—real $4 and $5 coats for.......... 1.95

Those $8 and $10 dresses for 3.65—only about 100 remain from that big purchase—but we've purposely kept back some of the best styles till the last. Included are Russian blouses, man-o'war suits, Buster Brown suits and fancy trimmed dresses, made of strictly all-wool cheviots, serges, cashmeres and fancy mixtures, all sizes up to 14 years—at.......... 3.65

Specials from our new delicatessen department
The finest in the state

Boiled ham—sliced, per pound, 25c.

Cervelat sausage—the best—per pound 25c.

Salami sausages—the best, per pound 25c.

Liver sausages—Brannsschweiger—per pound 20c.

Fresh smoked meat bologna—pound 15c.

Sardellen laberwurst—per pound 30c.

Lach shenken—per pound, 35c.

Truffed laberwurst—per pound 30c.

Thuringer blut wurst—per pound 17c.

Rolff's imported cervelat—per pound 55c.

Mortadella sausage—per pound 20c.

Frankfurters or weinerwurst—per pound 15c.

Smoked bloaters—smoked haddock, salmon, etc., in endless variety in season.

JOHN KENDRICK BANGS' GENIAL IDIOT WILL DISCUSS "DR HARPER'S SCHOOL OF MATRIMONY" IN THE GAZETTE NEXT SUNDAY

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READ "THE AMERICAN ADVENTURES OF A JAPANESE PILGRIM," BY YASHINTO KURIOKY, IN THE GAZETTE NEXT SUNDAY

THE PIRATES ARE AGAIN IN SECOND PLACE

BROOKLYN TEAM TWICE BEATEN

Clever Pitching by Leever and Flaherty Was Backed Up by Splendid Fielding.

WAGNER STILL OUT OF GAME

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh	5-2	Brooklyn	1-1
Cincinnati	6-2	New York	4-0
Philadelphia	7-3	Chicago	4-0
Boston	9	St. Louis	1

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	99	37	.728	St. Louis	66	68	.493
Pittsburgh	79	53	.598	Brooklyn	50	87	.365
Chicago	80	54	.597	Boston	48	89	.350
Cincinnati	75	59	.560	Philadelphia	44	93	.321

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The National league champions easily defeated the Hanlonites in both ends of a double-header at Washington park, Brooklyn, this afternoon. Scores, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, the last game being called at the end of the seventh inning, as per agreement. Today's double victory places the Pirates in second place, as Chicago dropped two games to the Quakers.

Today's games were played under much better weather conditions than yesterday. The grounds dried up nicely after a morning of bright sunshine and a high and dry wind from the west, which blew steadily, forcing many of the spectators to seek the sunshine back of the visiting players' bench. While the wind was a help to the pitchers, it was more or less of a detriment to the outfielders, who frequently were called upon to make lunges after fly balls after being set for the catch.

There was nothing to the games today but Pittsburgh from flag fall to finish. The visitors backed up both pitchers in championship form. Sam Leever, who opposed Cronin in the curtain raiser, was very good, and but for a poor throw by Phelps in the third inning to catch Jordan at second, the locals would have been blanked.

In the second game Flaherty had as his opponent on the slab "Doc" Reisling, who pitched around Ohio for two or three years. As in the first game, the Pirates' pitcher would have dipped the Hanlonites in the whitewash bucket but for a wild throw to first base by Flaherty in the fourth inning. Otherwise Patsy was in fine form, only allowing the Brooklynites two hits. Gilbert and McCormick made some clever catches in the field, the latter taking a high fly from Dillon's bat while standing against the fence.

Barney Dreyfuss and Frank Selee, manager of the Chicagos, whose team is playing a series in Philadelphia, spent the afternoon together. They seemed to be very much interested in each other, more so than in the games. If there is a deal of any kind on tap neither would say a word about it.

Secretary Locke says Wagner's back is still troubling him some. Honus had a chance to pick up $50 by playing with the Ridgewoods, a semi-professional team, here next Sunday. He turned the offer down.

Gilbert made good again in today's games in left field and Clarke is more than pleased with the youngster.

The Pirates may probably play a double-header Friday at the Polo grounds instead of Saturday. Manager Clarke is waiting for a definite answer from the New York management. The Brooklyns and Pirates play their last game tomorrow, when another double-header is on the bill. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Pittsb'gh.	R	H	P	A	E	Brooklyn.	R	H	P	A	E
Gilbert l.	1	1	2	0	0	Dillon 1.	0	2	13	0	0
B'mont m.	1	1	1	0	0	Gessler m.	0	1	5	0	0
Ritchey 2.	0	0	4	3	0	Lumley r.	0	0	1	0	0
Leach 3.	1	1	1	4	0	Sheckard l.	0	0	2	0	0
McCor'k r.	1	1	2	0	0	Babb s.	0	1	1	2	0
Br'sfield 1.	1	2	14	0	0	Batch 3.	0	1	2	1	0
Kruger s.	0	1	0	7	0	Bergen c.	0	0	0	1	0
Phelps c.	0	2	3	1	1	Jordan 2.	1	2	3	2	0
Leever p.	0	1	0	2	0	Cronin p.	0	0	0	3	0
						*Ritter	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	10	27	17	1	Totals	1	7	27	9	0

*Batted for Bergen in the ninth.

Pittsburgh .... 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—5
Brooklyn .... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Sacrifice hits—Ritchey, Bransfield. Stolen bases—Gessler, Jordan, Batch. First base on balls—Off Leever 2. Struck out—By Cronin 1, by Leever 3. Time of game—1:37. Umpires—Moran and O'Day.

SECOND GAME.

Pittsb'gh.	R	H	P	A	E	Brooklyn.	R	H	P	A	E
Gilbert l.	0	0	1	0	0	Dillon 1.	0	0	14	1	0
B'mont m.	0	0	1	0	0	Gessler r.	1	0	2	0	0
Ritchey 2.	0	1	1	3	0	Lumley r.	0	1	0	0	0
Leach 3.	0	0	3	2	0	Sheckard l.	0	0	1	0	0
McCor'k r.	1	2	1	0	0	Babb s.	0	1	0	0	0
Br'sfield 1.	1	1	12	0	0	Batch 3.	0	0	0	3	1
Kruger s.	0	0	1	1	0	Ritter c.	0	0	1	0	0
Phelps c.	0	2	1	4	0	Jordan 2.	0	0	1	5	0
Flaherty p.	0	0	0	3	1	Reisling p.	0	0	1	4	0
Totals	2	6	21	13	1	Totals	1	2	*20	13	1

*Gilbert out; hit by batted ball.

Pittsburgh .... 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2
Brooklyn .... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1

Two-base hit—McCormick. Sacrifice hits—Beaumont, Sheckard. Double play—Leach and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Reisling 1, off Flaherty 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Flaherty 1, Reisling 1. Struck out—By Reisling 1, by Flaherty 1. Time of game—1:12. Umpires—Moran and O'Day. Attendance, 1,800.

McFarland Was Hit Hard.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—The local team won from St. Louis with ease today by hitting McFarland in the sixth and seventh innings. Score:

Boston.	R	H	P	A	E	St. Louis.	R	H	P	A	E
Geier m.	1	1	0	0	0	Murch 2.	0	0	1	0	1
Barclay l.	1	1	2	0	0	Hill 1.	0	0	1	0	0
Tenney 1.	1	0	8	0	0	Beckley 1.	1	3	10	0	0
Abb'chio s.	1	2	1	4	0	Brain 3.	0	1	0	1	1
Deleh'ty 3.	3	3	0	3	1	Smoot m.	0	1	4	1	0
Moran c.	1	2	8	2	0	Dunleavy r.	0	0	2	1	0
Laut'b'n 2.	0	3	6	6	0	Shay s.	0	0	2	1	0
O'Hara r.	0	2	0	0	0	Grady c.	0	2	4	0	0
Fisher p.	2	2	0	0	0	M'Farl'd p.	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	9	14	27	15	1	Totals	1	7	24	7	2

Boston .... 0 1 0 0 0 3 4 1 *—9
St. Louis .... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1

Two-base hits—Moran, Fisher, Geier. Three-base hit—Delehanty. Home run—Fisher. Stolen bases—Smoot 2, Delehanty. Double plays—Lauterborn and Tenney; Smoot and Shay. First base on balls—Off McFarland 2, off Fisher 4. Struck out—By McFarland 3, by Fisher 6. Passed ball—Grady. Wild pitch—McFarland. Time of game—1:40. Umpire—Zimmer. Attendance, 180.

The Giants Lost Both Games.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The New York Nationals lost two games today to Cincinnati. The batting of the visitors was more timely in each game. The second game was called by agreement at the end of the seventh inning. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Cincin'ti.	R	H	P	A	E	New York.	R	H	P	A	E
Seymo'r m.	0	1	4	0	0	Donlin l.	1	1	2	0	1
Kelley 1.	1	1	7	0	1	Browne r.	1	1	1	0	0
Sebring r.	1	1	0	0	0	McGann 1.	1	2	11	0	0
Odwell l.	1	0	0	0	1	Mertes m.	0	1	3	0	0
Steinf'dt 3.	1	2	2	0	0	Dahlen s.	0	1	1	5	0
Huggins 2.	1	1	5	2	0	Devlin 3.	0	1	0	2	0
Peitz c.	1	1	3	3	1	Gilbert 2.	1	0	1	2	0
Corcoran s.	1	2	3	2	0	Bow'man c.	0	0	8	2	2
Hahn p.	0	0	0	3	0	Mat'son p.	1	1	1	1	0
						*Dunn	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	6	9	27	10	3	Totals	4	9	27	13	3

*Batted for Mathewson in the ninth inning.

Cincinnati .... 0 0 0 1 3 0 0 2 0—6
New York .... 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0—4

First base on balls—Off Mathewson 1, off Hahn 1. Struck out—By Mathewson 7, by Hahn 1. Home run—Peitz. Two-base hits—Donlin, Mertes, Seymour, Kelley, Steinfeldt, Corcoran 2. Stolen base—Sebring. Double plays—Peitz and Hubbins. Hit by pitched ball—By Hahn 1. Wild pitch—Mathewson. Passed ball—Peitz. Time of game—1:45.

SECOND GAME.

Cincin'ti.	R	H	P	A	E	New York.	R	H	P	A	E
Seymo'r m.	0	0	3	0	0	Donlin l.	0	0	2	0	0
Dolan s.	0	0	6	2	0	Browne r.	0	0	2	0	0
Sebring r.	0	0	2	0	0	McGann 1.	0	2	11	0	1
Odwell l.	1	0	0	0	0	Mertes m.	0	0	2	0	0
Steinf'dt 3.	1	0	2	0	0	Dahlen s.	0	0	0	3	0
Huggins 2.	0	1	0	1	0	Devlin 3.	0	1	0	1	0
Schlei c.	0	0	6	1	0	Gilbert 2.	0	1	1	3	0
Corcoran s.	0	0	1	1	1	Warner c.	0	0	3	1	0
Harper p.	0	1	1	3	0	Taylor p.	0	0	2	4	0
Totals	2	2	21	8	1	Totals	0	6	21	12	1

Cincinnati .... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2
New York .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

First base on balls—Off Taylor 2, off Harper 2. Struck out—By Taylor 3, by Harper 6. Two-base hits—Browne, McGann. Sacrifice hit—Steinfeldt. Stolen bases—McGann, Gilbert. Double plays—Gilbert, Dahlen and McGann; Dolan and Corcoran. Hit by pitched ball—By Harper 2. Umpires—Carpenter and Emslie. Time of game—1:20. Attendance, 8,690.

Quakers Beat Colts Twice.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—Despite the cold weather a good crowd today saw the locals win two games from Chicago. In the second contest Sparks kept Chicago's hits scattered and the visitors failed to score. Attendance, 2,713. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Chicago.	R	H	P	A	E	Philadel.	R	H	P	A	E
Schulte l.	1	3	3	0	0	Thomas m.	0	0	1	0	0
Casey 3.	0	1	0	0	0	Gleason 3.	0	0	3	3	1
Chance 1.	1	3	5	0	0	McGee r.	2	2	0	0	0
M'Car'y m.	0	1	0	0	0	Lush l.	1	1	10	1	0
Tinker s.	1	0	4	3	0	Titus l.	2	3	1	0	0
M'Ch'ny r.	0	1	1	0	0	Hulswitt s.	1	1	2	2	0
Evers 2.	1	1	3	5	1	Donohue 3.	1	1	3	1	0
Kling c.	0	1	7	1	0	Roth c.	0	0	5	2	1
Weimer p.	0	0	0	0	0	Duggleby p.	0	1	0	6	0
*Barry	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	4	11	24	9	1	Totals	7	9	27	15	4

*Batted for Weimer in ninth.

Chicago .... 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 0 0—4
Philadelphia .... 0 0 0 4 0 0 3 0 *—7

Stolen bases—Donohue, 2; Thomas. Two-base hits—Hulswitt, Schulte. Sacrifice hit—Kling. Double plays—Hulswitt, Gleason and Lush; Tinker, Evers and Kling. Struck out—By Duggleby, 4; by Weimer, 5. Bases on balls—Off Duggleby, 1; off Weimer, 7. Wild pitch—Duggleby. Hit by pitcher—Thomas. Time—1:58. Umpire—Johnstone.

SECOND GAME.

Chicago.	R	H	P	A	E	Philadel.	R	H	P	A	E
Schulte l.	0	2	0	0	0	Thomas m.	0	0	1	0	0
Casey 3.	0	1	3	3	1	Gleason 2.	0	1	4	8	0
Chance 1.	0	0	9	0	0	McGee r.	1	0	1	1	0
M'Car'y m.	0	0	0	0	0	Lush l.	0	2	8	0	1
Tinker s.	0	1	4	3	0	Titus l.	0	1	0	0	0
M'Ch'ny r.	0	0	1	0	0	Hulswitt s.	1	1	5	3	1
Evers 2.	0	2	3	0	0	Donohue 3.	0	0	2	1	0
O'Neil c.	0	1	4	0	0	Dooin c.	1	2	5	1	0
Lundg'n p.	0	1	0	7	0	Sparks p.	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	0	8	24	13	1	Totals	3	7	27	15	2

Chicago .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Philadelphia .... 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 *—3

Two-base hits—Schulte, Lush. Sacrifice hits—Gleason, Thomas, Titus. Double plays—Donohue, Gleason and Lush; Lundgren, Tinker and Chance; Gleason, Hulswitt and Lush. Struck out—By Sparks, 4; by Lundgren, 3. Bases on balls—Off Lundgren, 4. Wild pitch—Lundgren. Time—1:30. Umpire—Johnstone.

HICKY SHIES CASTOR.

Wants Clubs to Meet Tonight and Agree Upon Championship Date.

Homestead will not walk away with the independent championship this fall if other local teams can help it. Bob Anderson of Turtle Creek has put in a claim, as has also Burgess Edward Hickey of Millvale and Crawford of McKeesport. Burgess Hickey last night said: "Why not get together and play. Millvale will play any day, and the teams that enter into the competition must do likewise. I should like to meet Risher of Homestead, Crawford of McKeesport, Anderson of Turtle Creek and Wentz of P. A. C. at The Gazette office tonight at 8 o'clock, and then we will be together to agree upon dates."

Hickey has unearthed another pitching phenomenon, and he will present a fast team composed mostly of minor leaguers. The above named managers are requested to be present tonight at this office. Troy Hill will play at Millvale today.

Homestead Swamps Oakland.

The Oakland A. C. was defeated at Steel Works park, Homestead, yesterday afternoon by the H. L. A. C., 11 to 0. Pollard was on the rubber for the Homestead team and Martin for the visitors. Martin was taken out in the seventh and Brown of the old P. J. Quinn team was put in. Score:

R.H.E.
H. L. A. C.......0 0 0 2 5 4 0 0 *—11 12 1
Oakland A. C...0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0 2 5

Three-base hits—Lewellyn, Edmundson; two-base hits—Crum. Double plays—Brown to Llewellyn; Soffell, Clark and Davies. Struck out—By Pollard 8, by Martin 2. Bases on balls—Off Pollard 2, off Martin 5. Umpire—Parry.

Pittsburgh Boys Coming Home.

Pittsburgh boys are returning home from the minor leagues. Sam Brown, who caught for Toledo, arrived yesterday with Wyatt Lee, the latter going to Washington, D. C. Brown will finish the season with McKeesport, as will also Chic Cargo, the Albany New York State league shortstop. Both will be in today's game against Homestead. Sam Hamilton, who has been playing first for Altoona, is home to return to Hahnemann Medical college, Philadelphia. He was regarded as the best first baseman in the Tri-State league. Walter Orbin, who played with Wilmington (Del.) Tri-State and Atlantic City, is home. He will play with Millvale.

W. & J. Has Poor Practice.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The playing of the W. & J. varsity team this afternoon was miserable and in a short game with the scrubs they were unable to score, and at times were outplayed by the second team. The scrubs were coached by J. S. Margerum and J. F. Schrontz, former W. & J. players. The only feature was a run of 45 yards by Neill, the varsity quarter back. The team is working hard to get into shape for the coming game next Saturday with the Allegheny High school eleven.

Claysville Team Organized.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The Claysville High school football team has been organized and W. A. Neitzel and John Lindsey, old players, secured to coach. The following men are trying for positions: Hair, Wolfe, Sprowls, W. Hancher, Chapman, Leonard, McCracken, D. Hancher, Neitzel, Lindsey, Bell, Campsey, Allender, Snodgrass and Wright.

Bowman Is Injured.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Morgan Bowman of Uniontown, captain of the Yale football team, was injured in the practice game today and he will not be able to take part in Yale's opening contest.

OUT-OF-TOWN GAMES.

At Johnstown, Pa.— R. H. E.
Johnstown ....1 9 0 2 0 0 0 0 *—12 11 4
Cumberland ....0 0 0 1 2 0 1 0 0— 4 9 7

Batteries—Riley and Murphy; Bennett and Gates.

At Bridgeville, Pa.— R. H. E.
Bridgeville ....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0— 2 7 2
Wheeling ....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2— 3 7 3

Batteries—Gafen and Frankenberry; Robertson and Behling.

At Youngstown, O., Hanford hit to deep center in the last half of the ninth, sending in the winning run. The hit was good for a home run. Score: R.H.E.
Ohio Works ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—3 6 3
Niles ....0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2 2 1

Batteries—Dolan and Hanford; Pastorious and Ortleib.

At Akron, O.—First game— R.H.E.
Akron ....2 2 0 0 0 0 3 0 0—7 16 4
Sharon ....0 0 0 0 1 1 3 0 0—5 9 4

Batteries—Dessau and Munson; Howell and McAleese.

Second game— R.H.E.
Akron ....0 1 1 1 0 0—3 6 1
Sharon ....0 0 0 0 0 0—0 3 4

Batteries—James and Munson; McNeil and McAleese.

AMATEUR BASEBALL NEWS.

The Merrimac A. C. will meet the Ashford A. C. Saturday.

The Brushton A. C. will play Glenshaw at Brushton Saturday.

The Lincolns of East End will play Ben Venue Saturday at old P. A. C. park.

The Lymans have Sunday open. Address T. A. Holland, 2723 Shally street, South Side.

The Melvin team will play the Davis & Warde team this afternoon at Schenley park.

Pittsburgh Lyceum want a game for Saturday. Address George Gessinger, care Lyceum.

The Morin Athletics are without a game for September 24. Call Bell 3200 Grant and ask for Rankin store room, then for Grattan.

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HIGHLANDERS WERE BEATEN

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Boston	5-4	Philadelphia	1-3
Washington	4	New York	2
Chicago	4	Detroit	2
Cleveland	9	St. Louis	1

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	83	51	.619	Cleveland	72	62	.537
Boston	84	53	.613	St. Louis	58	77	.430
Chicago	79	58	.577	Detroit	56	78	.418
Philadelphia	73	57	.562	Washington	33	102	.244

AMERICAN GAMES TODAY.

No games scheduled.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Boston gained on the leading club today by wining both games played with Philadelphia. Henley weakened in the fifth inning of the first game, and his faulty control was largely responsible for Boston's run getting. The second game was an exciting battle down to the close. Plank replaced Coakley at the bat and pitched later in the ninth inning. Doran's lucky three-base hit and Selbach's single scored the deciding run. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Boston.	R	H	P	A	E	Philadel.	R	H	P	A	E
Selbach l.	0	0	1	0	0	Hartsel l.	1	1	1	0	0
Parent s.	1	3	1	6	0	Bruce 2-m.	0	1	2	0	0
Stahl m.	0	1	2	0	0	L. Cross 3.	0	2	2	2	1
Collins 3.	1	0	4	0	0	Seybold r.	0	0	1	0	0
Freem'n r.	1	1	0	0	0	Pic'ring m.	0	0	1	0	0
L'chance 1.	0	1	9	1	0	Murphy 2.	0	0	0	0	0
Ferris 2.	1	1	5	2	0	Noonan c.	0	0	1	0	0
Criger c.	0	0	5	2	0	M. Cross s.	0	0	3	6	0
Dineen p.	0	0	0	1	0	Schreck 1.	0	0	14	0	0
						Henley p.	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	5	7	27	12	0	Totals	1	4	24	12	1

Boston .... 0 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 *—5
Philadelphia .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Three-base hit—Stahl. Sacrifice hits—Lachance, Bruce. Double plays—Collins, unassisted, Ferris and Lachance. First base on balls—Off Dineen, 4; off Henley, 2. Struck out—By Dineen, 4; by Henley, 1. Time—1:30. Umpire—Sheridan.

SECOND GAME.

Boston.	R	H	P	A	E	Philadel.	R	H	P	A	E
Selbach l.	0	1	1	1	0	Hartsel m.	0	2	2	0	1
Parent s.	0	0	0	3	0	Pic'ring m.	0	0	0	0	0
Stahl m.	2	1	1	0	0	Bruce l.	0	1	1	0	0
Collins 3.	0	1	0	2	0	L. Cross 3.	0	1	1	2	1
Freem'n r.	1	2	1	0	0	Seybold r.	0	0	1	0	0
L'chance 1.	0	0	14	1	0	Murphy 2.	1	2	5	1	0
Ferris 2.	0	0	2	6	0	Noonan c.	2	2	5	3	1
Doran c.	1	2	8	0	2	M. Cross s.	0	0	2	3	0
Gibson p.	0	0	0	3	1	Schreck 1.	0	0	8	0	0
*Farrell	0	0	0	0	0	Coakley p.	0	0	0	3	0
						Plank p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	7	27	16	3	Totals	3	8	†25	12	3

*Batted for Gibson in ninth. †One out when winning run was made.

Boston .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—4
Philadelphia .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2—3

Two-base hits—Stahl, Bruce. Three-base hit—Doran. Home runs—Freeman, Noonan. Sacrifice hits—Gibson, Lachance, Noonan, Bruce. Hits—Off Coakley, 5 in eight innings; off Plank, 2 in one inning. Stolen base—L. Cross. Double plays—Ferris and Lachance; Parent and Lachance to Ferris and Moran. First base on balls—Off Coakley, 5; off Gibson, 4. Struck out—By Coakley, 6; by Gibson, 5. Passed balls—Noonan, 2; Doran, 1. Time—1:40. Attendance—8,476. Umpire—Sheridan.

Washington 4—New York 2.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Washington bunched three hits in the eighth inning on Clarkson today, scoring three runs, and defeated New York 4 to 2. Donovan's fielding and timely hit were features. Clarke was put out of the game and off the grounds for objecting to Umpire Connolly's decisions on strikes. Score:

Wash'ton.	R	H	P	A	E	New York.	R	H	P	A	E
O'Neill m.	0	0	0	0	0	Do'herty l.	1	2	0	0	0
Hill 3.	0	2	3	1	1	Keeler r.	0	1	0	0	0
Stahl 1.	0	0	11	0	0	Elberfeld s.	0	2	1	5	0
H'lsman l.	1	0	2	0	0	Conroy 3.	0	0	1	4	0
Mullin 2.	0	0	5	4	0	Williams 2.	0	0	2	0	0
Cassidy s.	2	2	1	4	0	Anderson 1.	0	1	10	1	1
Donovan r.	1	1	2	0	0	Fultz m.	0	0	2	0	0
Clarke c.	0	0	1	1	0	McGuire c.	0	1	8	1	0
Kittr'ge c.	0	2	1	1	0	Clarkson p.	1	3	0	1	0
Patten p.	0	0	1	3	1						
Totals	4	7	27	14	2	Totals	2	10	24	12	1

Washington .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 *—4
New York .... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Earned runs—Washington, 2. Two-base hits—Hill, Anderson. Stolen bases—Cassidy, Elberfeld. Sacrifice hits—Kittredge, Keeler, Elberfeld. Double plays—Mullin and Stahl; Elberfeld, Anderson and McGuire. First base on balls—Off Patten, 1; off Clarkson, 1. Hit by pitched balls—Clarkson, 4. Struck out—By Patten, 2; by Clarkson, 5. Left on bases—Washington, 7; New York, 5. Time—1:50. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance—1,500.

Cleveland 9—St. Louis 1.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—Cleveland defeated St. Louis here today in a one-sided game. Glade was knocked out of the box in the second inning. Bradley batted out a home run, double and single during the game. Attendance, 1,132. Score:

St. Louis.	R	H	P	A	E	Cleveland.	R	H	P	A	E
Burkett l.	0	0	4	0	0	Lush l.	2	0	1	0	0
Heid'ck m.	0	0	2	0	0	Bradley 3.	2	3	0	0	0
Wallace s.	1	3	2	6	0	Flick 2.	3	1	3	3	0
Hynes r.	0	0	4	0	0	Rossman r.	1	2	1	0	0
Jones 1.	0	1	8	0	0	Bemis 1.	0	2	8	0	1
Padden 2.	0	0	3	0	1	Turner s.	1	0	0	2	0
Moran 3.	0	1	0	0	0	Rhoades m.	0	1	2	0	0
Sugden c.	0	2	3	0	0	Buelow c.	0	0	12	0	0
Glade p.	0	0	0	0	0	Hess p.	0	1	0	3	0
Morgan p.	0	0	0	3	0						
*Varenh'st	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	1	7	27	9	1	Totals	9	10	27	8	1

*Batted for Morgan in ninth inning.

St. Louis .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1
Cleveland .... 4 3 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—9

Two-base hits—Rossman, Bradley. Three-base hit—Rhoades. Home run—Bradley. Sacrifice hit—Rossman. Double play—Wallace and Jones. Hits—Off Glade 7 in two innings, off Morgan 3 in seven innings. Hit with pitched ball—Hynes. Wild pitch—Glade. Bases on balls—Off Hess 2, off Glade 1, off Morgan 2. Struck out—By Hess 11, by Glade 1, by Morgan 1. Time—1:28. Umpires—O'Loughlin and King.

Chicago 4—Detroit 2.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Two singles, an error and a sacrifice hit gave the locals two runs in the second inning, and two doubles and an out scored two more in the fourth. Detroit could not hit successfully until the fifth, when three singles, a base on balls and an out gave them their only runs. Tannehill carried off both batting and fielding honors. Attendance, 2,000. Score:

Chicago.	R	H	P	A	E	Detroit.	R	H	P	A	E
Green r.	0	0	1	0	1	Barrett m.	0	1	1	0	0
Jones m.	0	1	2	0	0	McIntyre l.	0	2	1	0	0
Callahan l.	0	0	3	0	0	Coughlin 3.	0	1	2	1	0
Davis s.	1	0	3	2	0	Beville 1.	0	1	13	1	0
Sullivan c.	1	1	2	0	0	Crawford r.	0	1	1	0	0
Tan'hill 3.	2	2	3	2	0	Drill c.	0	0	4	1	0
Isbell 1.	0	0	10	2	0	Lowe 2.	1	1	4	0	0
Dundon 2.	0	2	2	1	0	Robinson s.	1	2	1	2	1
Altrock p.	0	0	1	6	0	Stovall p.	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	4	6	27	13	1	Totals	2	8	24	13	1

Chicago .... 0 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 *—4
Detroit .... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2

Left on bases—Chicago 5, Detroit 7. Two-base hits—Sullivan, Tannehill. Sacrifice hits—Sullivan, Altrock. Hit by pitched ball—Green. Struck out—By Altrock 2, by Stovall 1. Bases on balls—Off Altrock 3, off Stovall 2. Time of game—1:25. Umpire—Dwyer.

Last Niagara Falls Excursion P. & L. E. Saturday, Sept. 24.

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ALLEGHENY PREP AND KISKI HAVE FIRST PRACTICES

Pittsburgh High, Shadyside and W. U. P. Also Indulge in Hard Work.

The cool, bracing weather of yesterday just suited the football players and the scene on the different school fields was one of activity.

Allegheny Prep. School.

Coach Snitjer had the Preps out for the first time this year. The boys were taken to the Coliseum grounds, and only preliminary work was indulged in. Clarence Reiter will captain this year's team. Ed Murphy, Emery Murphy, Waltherfise, Peddle, Mulhulsh, Kilg and Fanenstock were the old players that reported.

Kiskiminetas Springs School.

The Kiski candidates were out for the first time yesterday at Saltsburg. Capt. Gordon anticipates a successful season. The team promises to be a heavy one, probably weighing 168. McGregor and Blaine McCreight of Indiana Normal were out, as was Sacha, a halfback from Latrobe. Hall, a 185-pound half from Monongahela City, and Pfeifer, a 185-pound tackle, from Allegheny, were other new candidates. "Muggins" Cunningham, brother of "Boog" Cunningham, last year's quarterback, joined in the practice. Urling, Heldrick, Swires, "Boog" Cunningham, Corbett, Bakewell and Seanor of last year's team are back. Seanor will report in a few days. The first game will be played October 1 with the Johnstown High school at Saltsburg.

Pittsburgh High School.

Practice by the High school candidates was again held under the direction of Capt. Wallace Johns. No coach has as yet been secured. "Shorty" James, who was at the park Monday afternoon, gave instructions, and Johns is following them until a coach is secured. Manager Saul desires to meet Bird, the former fullback, at The Gazette office tonight at 8 o'clock.

The season's schedule has not as yet been completed. The same teams that met last year will be played and a trip either to the northern end of the state or south will probably be taken. Erie High school wanted a game, but the date was not suitable. Fairmont High school may be played at Fairmont late in the season.

Shadyside Academy.

Preliminary work again was the order at Shadyside. The coaches had the 30 candidates working at starting, falling on the ball and tackling, and after one-half hour's charging against the machine signal practice was called, which concluded the afternoon's work. Capt. Williams aided the coaches in the practice. Harry Patterson was at quarterback for the first team. He promises to make a fitting substitute for Kerr Price. Tom Uptegraf was at right half, and Dick Mueller was kept at left half. It is likely both will be kept at these positions.

W. U. P.

Leidenroth's tackling and the all-around work of Zeig, the big guard, were the features of yesterday's practice at Exposition park of the W. U. P. candidates. Coach Mosse will have the team in fine shape for the first game, which will be with Grove City, October 1, at Exposition park.

Allegheny Opens Saturday.

MEADVILLE, PA., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—The football season will open here Saturday when the Allegheny college team plays the Warren High school team. The Allegheny squad has returned from a week's preliminary practice at Conneaut Lake and is in fine shape. The team is having as coach N. B. Rickey, last year's coach of the Ohio Wesleyan. Shields of the Indiana Normal school will be found in center. Al. Evans of Pittsburgh, on last year's team at Ohio Wesleyan, is making good at right half. The schedule is: September 24, Warren High school at Meadville; October 1, State college at State College; October 8, Hiram college at Meadville; October 15, Western Reserve at Cleveland; October 19, Grove City at Meadville; October 22, Westminster at New Wilmington; October 29, Syracuse university at Syracuse; November 5, Geneva college at Meadville; November 12, open; November 19, Case Scientific school at Meadville; November 24, Westminster at Meadville.

Brisk Practice at Princeton.

PRINCETON, N. J., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Princeton took advantage of a cool afternoon in a long practice made up of very brisk playing and marking the first serious line work the Tigers have done this season. Throughout the play the varsity made rapid gain, chiefly on mass plays directed at the center. The work was done under the coaching of Davis, Holt and Bill Edwards. The training table was started today, 17 men reporting, as follows: Short, Cooney, Dillon, Miller, King, Burke, Kafer, Helm, McCormick, Dutcher, Carothers, Rafferty, Daub, Crawford, Martin, Willock and Foulke.

Cleveland to Play Field Club.

The last cricket match of the season will be played on the ground of the Pittsburgh Field club Saturday, when the Cleveland club again visits the city. The game will commence at 10:30 and continue till 5 o'clock or half past 5, according to the condition of the light, with an interval of one hour for lunch.

On Park View grounds— R.H.E.
Dwyer A. C....... 0 4 3 2 4 3 0 0 1—17 19 6
Park View .... 2 2 1 0 1 0 0 2 1— 9 12 4

Batteries—Roberts and Jennings; Bluming, Donaldson and Schlarb.

FOOTBALL GOSSIP.

The Herron Hill team wants games. Address Charles McSteen, 2501 Center avenue.

The Primrose A. C. will have a 90-pound team. Address G. L. Callahan, 507 Union station, Pittsburgh.

The Crescent A. C. will open the season Saturday with the Wilson A. C. of Allegheny on Crescent grounds.

Primrose wants a game for Saturday, October 8. Address Earl Bartt, care Farmers National bank, city.

The Oneidas of Duquesne Heights will play all 80-pound teams. Address Harvey Reno, Augusta street.

The Bryants are out for the 70 to 75-pound championship. Address Paul Evans, 5141 Woodlawn avenue, city.

The Avalon V. F. D. A. C. will hold its first field meet Saturday at Mains field, Avalon, commencing at 2 p. m. sharp.

The Jefferson A. C. would like to hear from any 80-pound team. H. H. Gillespie, 227 East Jefferson street, Allegheny.

The Bellevue Reserves want a game for October 1 with any 85-pound team. Write J. Howard Peel, 137 Brighton road, Bellevue.

The Meadow Tigers desire to hear from some good 75-pound team for October 1. Address John Haley, 217 St. Andrew street.

All first-class 75-pound teams wanting games with the Monterey A. A. Address A. E. Clinton, 316 Carnegie building, Pittsburgh.

The Tarentum Tigers have dates open which they would like to fill with 90-pound teams. Address Walter Genter, box 4, Tarentum.

The Sycamores want a game for October 1 on the Phipps playground with a good 90-pound team. Address Leo J. Loughren, 73 Fidelity building, city.

Swissvale is rapidly completing its schedule. One hundred and thirty-pound teams address box 27, Swissvale, or call up Bell 'phone 307-L, Wilkinsburg.

The St. John's Lyceum of Lawrenceville will have a 90-pound team. Coach Wiseman has 40 candidates. For dates address J. E. Cairns, 3227 Penn avenue.

All members of the Brushton Anchors are to report for practice this evening at 7:30 o'clock. All 70-pound teams address Thomas M. Power, 18 Lawndale street, city.

All candidates for the Millvale team will report for practice in uniform at Vermont park this evening. Teams desiring games address H. L. Bender, 15 Colton street, Millvale.

The Penn A. C. will be composed of the following players: Harrison, Murphy, Slater, Henry, Robinson, Herholtz, Eckenrod, Hebrank, Jones, Musick, Loughner, Rice, Linsebigler, Irwin and Osterwise. It desires games with all 110-pound teams. Address C. H. Wegley, Penn, Pa.

Notice to "Ling" Moffet.

There is a letter at this office for "Ling" Moffet. He is requested to call for it tonight.

Moose Hunting.

There is a region in Canada, located in Northern Ontario, where the Moose, "the monarch of the forest," is to be found in great numbers. This territory is known as "Temagami," and is reached from Buffalo, Chicago and Detroit by the Grand Trunk Railway System to North Bay. The open season in this region is from October 16th to November 15th, both days inclusive, and by applying to G. T. Bell, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Grand Trunk Railway System, Montreal, all information concerning routes, guides and full particulars can be had.

DR. STRONG BEATEN BY JOHN TAYLOR

Big Surprise Sprung in the 2:10 Trot, Which Was an Exciting Event All the Way.

THE FINISHES WERE CLOSE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 21.—John Taylor's victory over the noted Dr. Strong was the sensational feature of the third day's grand circuit racing. Tickets on the defeated horse sold at $100 to $40 for the entire field. It took five heats to decide the race, and each of the two horses raced like a team for the entire mile.

With the exception of the fourth heat, in which John Taylor broke 10 lengths away the wire, each heat was decided by a neck or even less. The time made in the race was slow, for a heavy wind blew straight down the back stretch. On account of these conditions, Major Delmar's trial against the Cresceus record of 2:02¼ was postponed until tomorrow. Summaries:

2:19 trot, 3 in 5, purse $1,000. Three heats Tuesday:

Brownie Wilton, b. h., by Wilton (Saunders)	4	2	1	1	1
Mainland, b. h. (Hudson)	1	1	2	2	2
Jesse O., ro. g. (Geers)	2	12	3	5	6
Miss Jeannette, blk. m. (Eckers)	3	6	7	8	3
Getaway, ch. g. (Stetson)	13	8	11	3	7
Bell C., br. m. (Higbee)	14	14	12	6	4
Brilliant Girl, b. m. (Goodrich)	10	10	10	4	9
Direct Well, blk. h. (Deer)	7	5	6	9	5
Walter Pierce, ch. h. (Valentine)	14	16	5	12	8
Winnie Right, b. m. (Townsley)	6	7	9	10ds.	
Truthful Chimes, br. h. (Demarest)	8	4	4	7dr.	
Princess Derby, b. m. (Wildeye)	12	9	13	11dr.	
Aylwin, br. g. (Speery)	9	3	8	dr.	
Ballast, b. g. (Dillon)	5	14	dis.		
Dorothea, br. m. (C. Wilson)	17	13	dis.		
Martha B., br. m. (Shepard)	16	11	dr.		
Harry Simmons, b. h. (Butler)	11	17	dr.		
Harry McKerron, b. h. (Keyes)	18	dis.			

Time—2:14¼, 2:14½, 2:14¼, 2:10¾, 2:12¼.

2:19 pace, stake, 3 in 5, purse $2,000:

Morning Star, b. g. (A. McDonald)	1	1	1
Lady May, b. m. (Hussey)	4	2	3
Baron Gratton, b. g. (Geers)	5	3	2
Bad News, b. g. (D. Wilson)	2	5	5
Eudora, blk. m. (Snow)	3	4	4

Time—2:07¼, 2:07½, 2:06½.

2:10 trot, stake, 3 in 5, purse $2,000:

John Taylor, g. g., by Dispute (D. Wilson)	1	1	2	2	1
Dr. Strong, g. g. (Spear)	2	2	1	1	2
Lady Gail Hamilton, blk. m. (Hudson)	6	3	5	3	4
Robert Mc, b. g. (Jolly)	7	4	3	6	3
John Mc, b. g. (Geers)	3	5	7	5	7
Consuela S., b. m. (DeRyder)	4	6	6	4	6
Norrie, b. g. (Shank)	5	7	4	7	5
Billy Foster Boy, b. g. (Frasier)	dis.				

Time—2:09¼, 2:10½, 2:09¼, 2:10¾, 2:10½.

2:10 pace, three heats, each heat a race, purse $1,000:

Bell Mc, b. m., by Pilot Wilkes (Laird)	1	1	1
Bud Posey, b. g. (Van Aulstein)	2	3	4
Monnut, blk g. (Van Aulstein)	4	2	5
Ash Hose, b. h. (Weatherby and Snow)	5	5	2
Ben F., b. g. (DeRyder)	3	4	3
Katie H., b. m. (Hornberger)	7	6	7
Hamilton, ro. g. (Abrams)	8	8	6
Sweet Bay, b. m. (Fleming)	6	9	8
Baron B., b. h. (Chambers)	9	7	9
Czarina, ch. m. (Marvin)	10	10dr.	

Time—2:06¼, 2:08, 2:06½.

To beat 2:18½ trotting: Earl Wilton b. s., by Sweepstakes (Keyes) won. Time, 2:11¼.

TWO EVENTS UNFINISHED.

Mr. Expo Takes Second Race at Schenley Park in Four Heats.

Two of the seven events on the program at Schenley park yesterday were not completed on account of darkness. It required four heats to decide the second event, which was taken by Mr. Expo. The summaries:

First race, pacing:

Avon Mack, s. g. (Koser)	2	1	1
Romancer D., br. g. (Ketter)	1	3	2
Prince, b. g. (Calhoun)	3	2	4
Gipsy Boy, r. g. (Smith)	4	4	3

Time, 2:32, 2:32¼, 2:31.

Second race, trotting:

Mr. Expo, b. h. (K. Kern)	3	3	1	1
Twilight, g. g. (Robinson)	2	1	2	3
Miss Weitzell, b. m. (F. Evans)	1	2	3	2

Time, 2:36½, 2:37, 2:37, 2:35¼.

Third race, pacing:

Kitty Wilkins, b. m. (Randolph)	3	1	1
Commodore Dewey, b. g. (Robinson)	1	2	2
Raymond Russell, b. g. (Gallenz)	2	3	3
Harry M., b. g. (Moore)	4	5	dr
Grey Dick, g. h. (Werner)	5	4	dr

Time, 2:25, 2:23½, 2:22½.

Fourth race, trotting, unfinished:

Katherine K., blk. m. (Koser)	1	3	2
Welshod, g. g. (E. Kern)	3	2	1
Buster Brown, s. g. (Garland)	4	1	3
Hartford, Jr., g. g. (Moore)	2	4	dr

Time, 2:31, 2:29½, 2:30.

Fifth race, pacing, unfinished:

Ampere, b. g. (F. Evans)	1	2
Red Dawn, r. g. (Mayer)	2	1
Black B., blk. m. (Franklin)	3	3

Time, 2:31, 2:34½.

Sixth race, trotting:

Plumber Boy, b. h. (Jenkins)	1	1
Isabelle B., b. m. (Morris)	2	4
Othello, blk. g. (Hall)	4	2
Nellie Emmitt, b. m. (Pfeil)	3	3

Time, 2:28½, 2:25½.

Seventh race, pacing, unfinished:

Dandy B., b. g. (Franklin)	2	1
Pilot Boy, b. g. (Young)	1	3
Dr. Neff, s. g. (Neff)	3	2
Glad Boy, blk. g. (Mellon)	4	4

Time, 2:30, 2:27.

AMALGAMATED NOT HOPEFUL.

Do Not Believe Senator Dick Or Any Outsider Can Settle the Hoop Mills' Strike.

At the headquarters of the Amalgamated association in this city, no hopes are apparently entertained that the influence of any outside interest will prove effective in the settlement of the Ohio strike. It was reported yesterday that Senator Dick of Ohio and the Civic federation would make efforts in this direction.

The Amalgamated association people take the position that the Steel Corporation will not accede to any proposition which does not entirely eliminate the association as a union. The new scale which is offered the association by the corporation, it is insisted, was designed for the purpose of meeting a strike to test the strength of the union. It is claimed by the association officials that this struggle does not involve a question of wages, but is one of unionism or non-unionism.

The Amalgamated association officials in this city have not been officially advised of any steps being taken to secure the services of Senator Dick as an arbiter, but they say there are ready to co-operate with him if asked to do so.

Watson to Speak in Chicago.

JOLIET, ILL., Sept. 21.—Thomas E. Watson, Populist candidate for president, will open his campaign in Illinois October 10 with a speech in Chicago.

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CLEVER WORK SHOWN BY LOCAL GOLFERS

Pittsburgh and Allegheny County Club Teams Win Their Matches in Association Series.

Pittsburgh Golf club won its team match yesterday from the Edgeworth club on the latter's links. The match was one of the Western Pennsylvania Golf association championship series. At the end of play the score was a tie 5 to 5 and two foursomes were played and Pittsburgh won by two holes. W. N. Kerr for Edgeworth and J. R. Taylor for Pittsburgh were not present. The individual scores and results were:

Edgeworth Club.		Pittsburgh Golf Club.	
D. S. Hayes	1	E. E. Giles	0
S. S. Liggett	4	William Frew	0
W. N. Kerr	0	J. R. Taylor	0
A. I. George	0	J. H. Reed, Jr.	2
G. E. McCague	0	J. C. Dilworth	0
A. L. Pearson, Jr.	0	W. R. Blair	3
Total	5	Total	5

In the foursomes Dilworth and Frew won from McCague and George, 2 up and the Hays and Liggett were all even with Giles and Reed.

Allegheny Country club won its match with the Pittsburgh Field club yesterday, 13 to 4. The match was one of the W. P. G. A. series and played on the Brushton links. The individual results were:

Allegheny C. C.		Pittsburgh F. C.	
E. M. Byers	5	W. T. G. Bristol	0
R. P. Nevin	3	I. C. Liddell	0
David Baxter	0	C. C. Preston	0
J. C. Oliver	0	J. B. Crookston	4
O. D. Thompson	4	W. E. Stevenson	0
H. D. McCandless	1	Dr. F. G. High	0
Total	13	Total	4

In the finals for the consolation cup in the mixed foursome tournament at the Brighton Country club G. R. Stewart and Miss N. J. Stewart defeated yesterday Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnston by 1 up.

Football at Franklin.

FRANKLIN, PA., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Franklin will have two football teams. The High school eleven has been at practice for two weeks new and the Y. M. C. A. has made arrangements to begin work at once. John Aiken, formerly quarter back at Washington and Jefferson, has been engaged to coach the Y. M. C. A. eleven. The Rev. R. B. Beattie, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, a former Princeton varsity star, is coaching the High school eleven.

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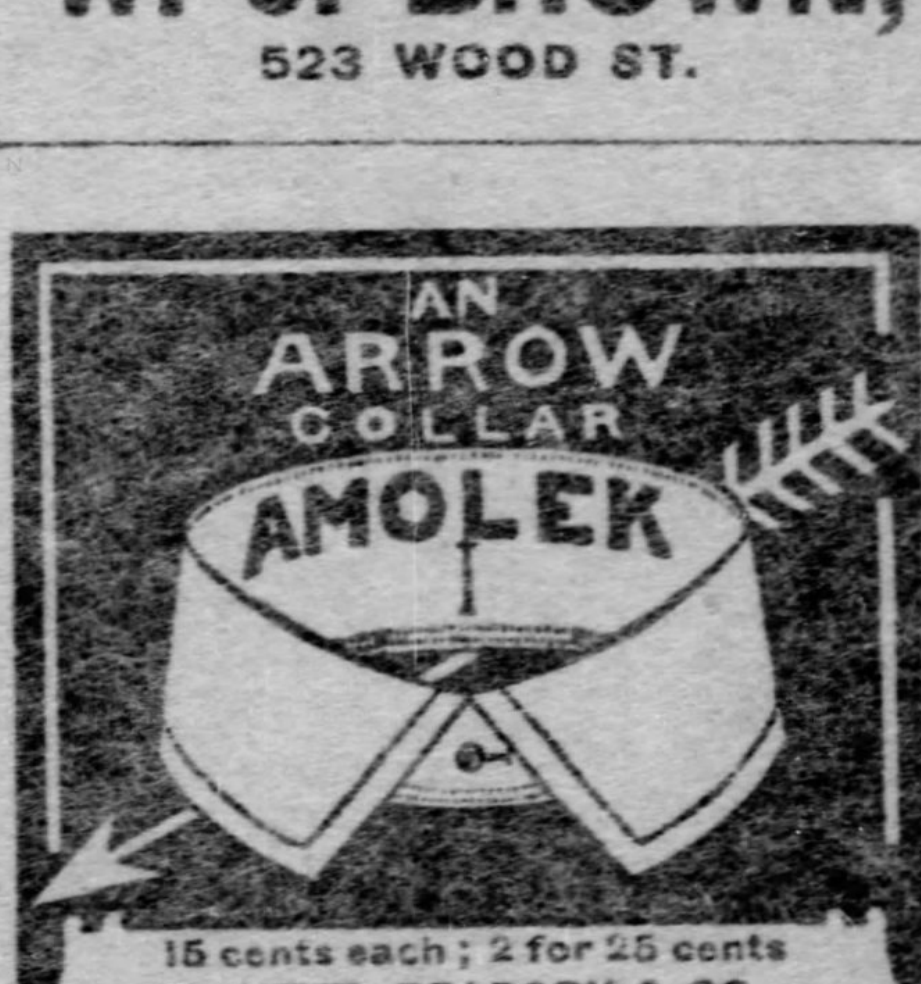
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to the Allegheny Trust company, trustee, dated December 2, 1901, and recorded in the recorder's office of Elk county, Pa., in mortgage book vol. "N," page 280, et seq., in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage, as by reference to said record will more fully and at large appear, defaults have been made by said mortgagor contrary to the provisions of said mortgage, especially section 6 thereof, will sell the real and personal property hereinafter specified at

Public Auction

to the highest bidder in the
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—ON—
Friday, Oct. 7, 1904
at 3 O'Clock P. M., viz.:

All the folowing described pieces, parcels or tracts of land situate, lying and being in the **TOWNSHIP OF RIDGWAY, COUNTY OF ELK AND STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,** bounded and described as follows:

The first thereof containing **100 ACRES,** more or less, and being part of warrant No. 4394.

The second thereof containing **118 ACRES AND 154 PERCHES,** and being part of warrant 4395.

The third thereof containing **50 ACRES,** and being part of warrant 4394.

The fourth thereof being part of warrant 4395, and containing **1035 ACRES,** more or less, excepting from the above tract such portions and such rights as are set forth and described as said of trust.

Together with all buildings and machinery thereon, including among other things 2 100-horse power boilers, 75-horse power engine, presses, dies, grinding tables, clay screens, pans, cars, barrows, trucks, rails, wire cables, drums, incline, shafting, belting, pulleys and fittings, **450 FEET OF RAILROAD SIDING** tools, wagons, office furniture, safes, scales and sawmill.

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RAPID WORK ON NEW SKYSCRAPER

Steel Frame of Diamond National Bank Building Put Up in 30 Days.

OPTIONS ON NEW CUT-OFF

The rapid progress made on the skyscraper of the Diamond National bank at Fifth and Liberty avenues has been the subject of considerable remark among architects and passersby for a week or more. Few of them know that the steel frame of the building was put up in exactly 30 days, in which were included Labor day and several days when hard rains prevented continuous work. On August 12 the derrick was raised and on September 12 it was taken away. Nearly 1,200 tons of steel were put in place in that time. Owing to the flatiron shape of the building every piece of steel had to be placed in a particular spot, instead of there being many duplicates, as in the case of other buildings of similar height, where all the panels are symmetrical. Over 50 bridge workers have been employed on the work, of whom only six remain this week to finish a few minor details. The building was riveted and painted, story by story, as it went up, and the fireproofers are now putting their finishing touches to their part of the work on the twelfth, or top story. The George M. Bole Construction Company had charge of the erection of the steel frame and James Stewart & Co. have the general contract for the building. By October 16 it is expected the entire structure will be enclosed, as the granite work is nearly finished now. A rather remarkable feature of the work, considering the rapidity with which it has been prosecuted, is that not a man has been injured seriously.

Anticipating Cut-Off Benefits.

Judging by the activity with which options are being taken on properties along the Brilliant cut-off, in the extreme East End, there is likely to be considerable activity in that district next spring. Within the last few weeks options have been taken on several good-sized properties northeast of Chadwick place and also near Oakmont. The prices are said to have ranged from $1,500 to $2,500 an acre. Leading real estate operators who have tried to get control of vacant frontage in that locality within the last few days have found the prices on the few remaining tracts prohibitive. Most of the properties secured are well adapted for plotting, and it is said will be laid out in acre, half-acre and quarter-acre plots. This will insure a first-class residence district if the public improvements now contemplated are made. When the new road is in full operation a schedule of 12 or 15 minutes from Oakmont to Union station will add greatly to the advantages of the places along the line for residence purposes. Several deals are now pending for sites near Oakmont that will bring that suburb into still greater prominence.

A choice residence lot, 100x120 feet, in the north side of Friendship avenue, near Graham street, Twentieth ward, has been sold for $10,000. The property belonged to Grant McCargo and Charles R. Miller and was bought by Hannah J. Miller for an investment.

Schoolhouse Going Ahead.

Bids are being taken by Architect F. J. Osterling on the superstructure of the addition to the Eleventh ward public schoolhouse, at Shady avenue and Eckert street, Allegheny. The foundations are completed. The building will be four stories high, 48x96 feet in dimensions and will contain 15 school rooms, a big auditorium on the fourth floor and meeting rooms for the teachers and principal. The estimated cost is $75,000.

Work on the First Congregational church, to be erected in Dithridge street, near Forbes street, will be formally started next Sunday with the laying of the cornerstone. The church building will cost at least $80,000, and the site cost $37,500. A main auditorium, chapel and parsonage will be built of stone, with marble steps and vestibule. Finely carved stone pillars will ornament the entrance to the main church building. In architectural design the buildings will differ from any house of worship ever erected in Pittsburgh. The congregation, which includes many worshipers from Allegheny, Crafton and Edgewood, in addition to the Pittsburgh members, is now worshipping in the old church at Fifth and Washington avenues, which has stood for 26 years. The Rev. B. G. Newton is pastor and the roll of the church includes 250 members. The trustees are: Charles Prosser, W. B. Hughes, John G. Evans and Isaac Davis.

The new firm of Avey & Irish, which opened for business yesterday at Nos. 1211 and 1212 Farmers bank building, sold for the Real Estate Trust Company to P. J. Durbin of Fair Oaks, 11 lots, 22x100 feet each, in Ambridge, for $3,000. This sale closes out that part of Ambridge which is in Allegheny county. The lots are along the Big Sewickley creek, which separates Allegheny and Beaver counties at this point. The creek will be straightened and a retaining wall built from the Beaver road to the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad. Five houses will be built at once.

Through the office of Samuel W. Black & Co., D. Herbert Hostetter leased to James Dickson, the tailor, the second floor of the building at 241 and 243 Fifth avenue, over Reymer's confectionery store. Mr. Dickson, who is now located in Wood street, will remove to his new location October 1. The same firm sold for W. M. Taylor of Erie to Bernard Seisker, 33x100 feet in Adelaide street, near Iowa street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,750.

Webster avenue: The Commonwealth Real Estate Company sold for J. F. Carey to Jacob Shapira, 1905 Webster avenue, four brick houses, 21x127 feet, for $4,200.

Blackhawk street: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for W. B. Dickson of New York to William Sheehan of McKeesport, 150x120 feet in Blackhawk street, Twenty-second ward, for $2,250.

Broad street: Cooper & McAllister sold for Alexander Walker to Mrs. Mary A. Latham, a five-room frame house on a lot 25x90 feet at 5624 Broad street, East End, for $2,900.

North Side Sales Reported.

The following sales have been made through the agency of W. C. Butterfield & Co.: For E. E. Burdick to John Knowland, a farm of 43 acres in Industry township, Beaver county, for $1,700; for the Charles Theobald estate to John Reitlinger, three acres in Shaler township, adjoining the borough of Millvale, for $1,350; to Herman Helder, 2.5 acres for $875; to Harry R. Stierheim, one-half acre for $525; to Sydney B. Martin, two acres for $1,000; to Leo Merchant, four acres for $1,400; for Harry H. Short to Joseph Brumer, a four-room frame house on a lot 50x165 feet, in Rural avenue, Tenth ward, Allegheny, for $1,000.

Meyran avenue: Frank R. Bell sold to Louis L. Hiller an improved lot, 22x142 feet, in the south side of Meyran avenue, Fourteenth ward, for $7,000.

Beltzhoover avenue: William H. Haslett sold to Joseph A. Baumgarten an improved lot, 25x90 feet, in the west side of Beltzhoover avenue, Thirty-second ward, for $4,500.

Friendship avenue: Charles P. Miller sold to Earl F. Gray, 33x120 feet in the north side of Friendship avenue, near Graham street, Twentieth ward, for $3,167.

Dearborn street: G. M. Gerfell sold to Robert B. McClelland, 20x100 feet in Dearborn street, Nineteenth ward, for $1,300.

Inwood street: Joseph P. Kennedy sold to Ella M. Hooden an improved lot, 33x136 feet, in the west side of Inwood street, Twenty-first ward, for $2,600.

Hastings street: Joseph McIntyre sold to Lucy C. Sharkey an improved lot, 27x100 feet, at Hastings street and Edgerton avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $4,200.

Moultrie street: The Columbia Improvement Company sold to William H. Korta an improved lot, 20x60 feet, in the west side of Moultrie street, Seventeenth ward, for $3,800.

Montclair street: W. E. Minor sold to G. Seolaseo an improved lot, 25x90 feet, in the south side of Montclair street, Twenty-third ward, for $2,000.

But one building permit was issued yesterday—to J. F. Otte for a two-story brick dwelling at McPherson and Linden avenues, to cost $5,200.

Homestead is to have another up-to-date business block within a short time. L. S. Deitrick has plans prepared and is receiving bids for a three-story brick and stone building to be erected in Eighth avenue, near West street. The building will contain storerooms and offices, and is expected to cost about $25,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Lamble Nancy to Albert Lamble, Sept 17, Pitcairn, 70, Eighth st	$ 1,950
Metcalf Frank to Geo H. Vanhorn, Aug 10, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x93, Hermitage st	5,500
Harriben Lucy to David Newell, July 12, Richland twp, 75x125, Railroad st	3,000
McCutcheon O K to J W Smith, July 2, Mifflin twp, 63x123, Park View ave	2,800
Brueckman August to August Hein, Aug 31, Baldwin twp, 10x161, Southern ave	1,500
Krompasky Sophia to Andreas Roth, Sept 10, 31st wd, Pgh, 22x92, Lillian st	1,650
Benson J A to Jas Poeschl, Aug 22, N Braddock, 24x110, Sedden st	1,200
Leger Bernard to F M Jochumson, Sept 1, 23d wd, Pgh, 25x100, Norfolk st, 51x104, Hazelwood ave	18,500
Marsh Chas T to J F Miller, Apl 30, Wkbg, 25x165, Ella st	4,600
Pier A M to Jacob Steinberger, Aug 26, 21st wd, Pgh, 27x140, McPherson st	6,125
Smythe David W to Chas C Fink, July 16, L St Cl twp, 50x127, Sylvania st	5,000
Penney Susannah to J B Watterson, May 26, 26th wd, Pgh, 20x120, Wharton st	900
Penney Susannah to Cath Watterson, May 26, 26th wd, Pgh, 24x120, Wharton st	2,900
McBride M J to Arthur W Todd, Sept 10, Swissvale, 20x120, Center ave	2,400
Snyder E L to Chas Kieffer, June 30, Baldwin twp, 25x140, Linwood ave	2,400
Baldesperger Vath to Martin Graner, Aug 24, 26th wd, Pgh, 19x60, 17th st	1,800
Dixon Chas H to Alex Kerr, Feb 19, 11th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Dinwiddie st	5,000
Sylvis Geo W to Margaret Archibald, July 16, 37th wd, Pgh, 25x110, Haverhill st	1,400

SOCIETY

THERE was but little going on among the older members of society yesterday, all having spent their energies at the Sewickley Heights horse show and its attendant activities on Tuesday. Many returned to town yesterday morning from the Heights. Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Hanna, who were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William Walter Willock at Gladmore farm, spent the morning very quietly in the valley, leaving at noon to come to town, where they were met by Charles A. Painter of Allegheny, who became their host for the remainder of their stay in Pittsburgh. They, with a few other friends of Mr. Painter, were entertained by him at luncheon at the Duquesne club at 1 o'clock.

In the afternoon Mr. Painter's electric launch was called into requisition and the party spent several hours cruising on the three rivers. Mr. and Mrs. Hanna left for their home in Cleveland at 6 o'clock last evening, Mr. Painter and his guests, and Mr. Willock, who had not been with them earlier in the day, bidding them farewell at the depot.

Mrs. W. P. Snyder's Dance.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Snyder's house dance last evening was a most delightful farewell to the boys and girls of the Sewickley valley who will go away to school this fall. Their son, William P. Snyder, Jr., leaves for Haverford college on Monday evening. Fifty of the young people of the valley were present and Mrs. Snyder entertained a house party composed of Mrs. James B. Laughlin, Miss Alice Laughlin, Ledlie Laughlin, Henry Laughlin, Miss Evelyn Black, Miss Pauline Dilworth, Miss Bessie Woods, Lawrence Dilworth Blair, William Scott and Harry Beggs. The last three boys will be schoolmates of William P. Snyder, Jr., at Haverford.

Wilpen Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Snyder's beautiful home on Sewickley Heights, was tastefully decorated with autumn flowers in honor of the occasion. Huge bunches of hydrangeas just turning from white to red, chrysanthemums of various hues and brilliant dahlias with palms adorned the rooms.

Among the guests were the members of the house party and Miss Mary Shields and her house guest, Miss Whipple of Worcester, Mass.; Dickinson Shields, a Cornell student; Miss Caroline Slack, Miss Dorothy Slack, Miss Jean Slack and Miss Elizabeth Slack, Miss Mary Agate Brown, Jacob Bartlett Brown, St. Clair Woods, Bowman Starr, Arthur Starr and Miss Euphemia Bakewell.

Mrs. Snyder is also entertaining her brother, Alex W. Black of New York, who came to Pittsburgh for the horse show on Tuesday and who will remain at Wilpen hall for a month. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder do not expect to open their town home at Colonial place and Ellsworth avenue until late in the winter.

Swan-Wright.

Green and white were the prevailing colors at the wedding of Miss Janette Williamson Swan, daughter of the late John Swan of Allegheny, and William Howard Wright, which took place last evening at the home of the bride's brother, John Swan, Jr., in Allegheny avenue, Allegheny. The Rev. S. Edward Young performed the ceremony at 6 o'clock, only the immediate relatives witnessing it. Mrs. Alexander Dallas Rose was matron of honor and the bridesmaids included Miss Mary Richardson Wright, Miss Jean Gibson Lyons, Miss Jane Minetta Degelman and Miss Ida Blanche Gill. Little Miss Margaret Nicholson Hill and Master George Clarke Swan were ribbon bearers and Edwin L. Wright, a brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

The bridal gown was of white crepe silencieux and duchesse lace. The round yoke and bertha were formed of the lace, which was arranged in panel effect on the skirt, with its full court train. Orange blossoms fastened the tulle veil. The bride's only ornament was a pearl crescent and her bouquet was a shower of lilies of the valley and tulle. Mrs. Rose wore a white lace robe and carried maidenhair fern. White asters tied with green tulle were carried by the maids, who wore gowns of green and white organdie. Little Miss Hill, carrying white asters, wore a frock of lace and muslin over a green slip. Masses of asparagus fern followed the ascent of the stairs and curtains of the feathery greens hung in the doors and over the windows. Palms lined the walls in the parlor, where the mantel was banked with gladolias. Asters were arranged in shower effect on the chandelier. White roses formed the centerpiece on the lace-covered table at which the bridal party was seated, large branches of dogwood blossoms completing the decorations in the dining room. The ceremony was followed by a large reception at 8 o'clock, after which the bridal couple left for their wedding journey. They will be at home on Tuesdays in November in the Syria apartments, Braddock avenue, Brushton.

Bard-Fulton.

On the anniversary of her parents' wedding, Miss Eva Morehead Bard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bard of North Craig street, was married last evening to Robert Oliver Fulton, the ceremony taking place at 6:30 o'clock in the Bellefield Presbyterian church. The Rev. Dr. William S. Fulton, a cousin of the bridegroom and pastor of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church, officiated. The bride entered with the bridegroom and was unattended. The ushers were Edward Fulton, a brother of the bridegroom; Thomas Henderson Bard, a brother of the bride; George C. Watt, Morrow Campbell, Harry Wilson and Samuel Harrison Smith.

The bride wore an imported robe of white cloth delicately embroidered in pale green and a large lace hat with plumes, and carried lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern. Mrs. Bard was in gray voile. Green and white prevailed in the decorations, both at the church and the home, where a wedding supper followed the ceremony. Standards of white asters marked the pews and the pulpit platform was filled with palms, while at the house the mantels were banked with ferns, and white roses adorned the table. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton left last evening for a wedding trip. They have not decided where they will be at home on their return. Mrs. Fulton is one of the best known club women in Pittsburgh.

Pre-Nuptial Gaiety Ended.

The rehearsal for the wedding of Miss Alice Robinson Maple and Dr. James Morley Hitzrot took place yesterday morning and was followed by a breakfast for the bride-elect and her maids, at which Miss Clara McLain of Howe street was hostess. The breakfast was served at 12:30 o'clock and the decorations of fruit and autumn flowers were especially dainty. To each place card was attached a tiny white kid slipper. In addition to the girls in the bridal party covers were laid for Miss Clara Thompson, Miss Helen Thompson and Mrs. J. E. McLain. Last evening Dr. Edward Graver and Albert Graver of Fifth avenue were joint hosts at a dinner for the entire bridal party at their home. Two tables were used, one occupying the dining room and the second being placed in the office. Pink roses were used to decorate the former apartment, while in the office were Liberty roses, and the parlor, where cards followed the dinner, was gay with pink asters. The wedding will take place this evening in the Point Breeze Presbyterian church.

Pittsburghers on the Go.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hurtte Rowe of Morewood avenue and members of their family have opened their city home after a summer spent in Cobourg, Canada. They returned to the city last Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scott of Bidwell street, Shadyside, left during the early part of last week for a visit to the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis.

Mrs. Dudley D. Pendleton and her eldest daughter, Miss Elizabeth Pendleton of South Negley avenue, left last Tuesday evening for Atlantic City. They expect to remain in the east the greater part of the winter, and next month will visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Payson Chamberlain of New York. Mrs. Chamberlain was Miss Elizabeth B. Webster of Pittsburgh before her marriage last spring, at which Miss Charlotte Pendleton was maid of honor.

McQuiston-Carey.

A quiet home wedding last evening was that of Miss Margaret McQuiston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce McQuiston, of Emerson avenue, East End, and Frederick Carey of West Philadelphia. The Rev. Walter L. Mason, pastor of the First Unitarian church, solemnized the marriage at 6 o'clock, the attendants including four nieces of the bride, Miss Rachel McQuiston, maid of honor; Miss Margaret McQuiston and Miss Isabel Diss, bridesmaids, and Miss Dorothy Diss as flower girl. The bride was gowned in white embroidered mull with trimmings of Irish point lace. She carried white asters. The same flowers were carried by the maids, each of whom is a school girl. All were in white. The house was simply decorated, red and yellow dahlias being used on the table in the dining room and white asters in the parlor. After their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Carey will be at home in Kennet Square, Pa. Mrs. Carey taught for a number of years in the Sterrett public school.

Reception for Mrs. McCrea.

LENOX, MASS., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shields Clarke gave a brilliant reception at Fernbrook this afternoon for Mrs. James Alexander McCrea, a sister of Mr. Clarke. The guests had an opportunity to see Mr. Clarke's new green bronze Cupid's sundial, which was shown on a terrace of the lawn with an evergreen background. This dial is soon to be taken to New York and then sent to a salon in Paris.

Fernwood was handsomely decorated for the reception with red and yellow autumn leaves. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke received and Mrs. McCrea with Miss Alma Clarke poured tea. About 150 were present, including the British ambassador and Lady Durand and Miss Josephine Durand; the German ambassador and Baroness Speck von Sternburg, Mr. and Mrs. George G. Haven, Mr. and Mrs. Morris K. Jessup and Mrs. George Westinghouse.

Donaldson-Dunn.

Miss Maria S. Donaldson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Donaldson, and James Raymond Dunn of Pittsburgh were married at the home of the bride's parents in Canonsburg last evening by the Rev. W. C. Dunn of New Wilmington. Guests were present from the Beaver valley, Pittsburgh and New York. The maid of honor was Miss Ella R. Simpson of Beaver Falls, and Miss Helen A. Dunn of New Wilmington and Miss Dorothy Chambers of Canonsburg were bridesmaids. Dr. Sidney Chalfant of Pittsburgh was the best man. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Dunn will live in Pittsburgh.

Marquis-Brooks.

The marriage of Lulu Pauline Marquis and William Henry Brooks yesterday was a pretty event at Glen Marque. The country house was beautifully decorated with ferns and autumn leaves. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mary L. Marquis, and Miss Harriett B. Archer. Little Mary Ewing, the bride's niece, was flower girl. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Joseph L. Ewing, brother-in-law of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Raymond Huston and the Rev. James B. Lyle. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks left for Boston, New York and other eastern cities and will make their home in Jamesburg, N. J.

Two Weddings in Braddock.

Miss Josephine Baldridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baldridge of North Braddock, and R. F. Smythe of Braddock were married at the Baldridge home yesterday by the Rev. William G. Reagle.

Miss Mamie McCarthy, daughter of Mrs. Catherine McCarthy, and Harry Gallagher of Butler were married at the home of Mrs. McCarthy yesterday morning by the Rev. Father William A. Cunningham. The guests numbered 250. A wedding breakfast was served, after which the couple left for an eastern trip. They will be at home after October 15 in North Braddock.

Have Taken the Bradley House.

William B. Trainer, who will wed Miss Martha Dalzell, has rented the Bradley house in Morewood place for a time, and it is there that the bride and bridegroom will be at home after their marriage on November 2. The house is completely furnished and is an exceedingly handsome little home situated very near that of Mr. and Mrs. William Speer Kuhn. The wedding of Miss Dalzell and Mr. Trainer will be conducted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dalzell, in Ridge avenue, Allegheny.

May Make Denver Their Winter Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson, Jr., of Morewood avenue and their little son, Robert Carson III., will leave next Tuesday for an extended visit to the Louisiana Purchase exposition. They will be met in St. Louis by several eastern friends. Mr. Carson expects to go to Denver on a business trip in November. Mrs. Carson may accompany him, and it is possible that they will make their home in Denver for the winter.

Sefton-Hazlett.

Miss Jennie Sefton and the Rev. Joseph A. Hazlett of Four Mile, Beaver county, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sefton, in Tarentum last evening, by the Rev. T. Cairns Anderson. Miss Nellie Hazlett was the bridesmaid. After the ceremony the couple left for a trip to Niagara Falls and the lakes, and will be at home in Four Mile after October 1.

Park-Miller.

In Freedom, Pa., last Tuesday occurred the marriage of Miss Mabel Park and Irwin D. Miller, both of that place. Miss Jean Larimer of Irwin was the maid of honor and Bert Blatt of Freedom the best man. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will live in Freedom, where they will be at home after October 12.

Neff-Higgins.

After October 1 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Higgins will be at home in Norwich, Conn., where Mr. Higgins is an attorney. Mrs. Higgins was Miss Alice Mae Neff prior to her wedding yesterday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Neff, brother and sister-in-law of the bride, which was followed by a wedding breakfast. Only the immediate relatives were present. The bride wore a smart traveling suit of gray cloth and hat to match and carried white roses. Pink roses were used to decorate the house.

Home from the Seashore.

Mr. and Mrs. Wenman A. Lewis and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard W. Lewis of Amberson avenue and Castleman street, Shadyside, are home from Atlantic City, where they were registered at Haddon Hall for the greater part of the summer. Mrs. Bernard Lewis' sister, Mrs. Howard S. Evans, with Mr. Evans and the children, are expected at their home in South Negley avenue on Sunday.

Allegeheny Man Married.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Frank Herman of Allegheny and Miss Margaret Mallory of this city were married at St. Peter's church today by the Rev. Father McGinnis.

Mrs. George P. Rose Gave a Dinner.

An informal dinner was given last evening at the home of Mrs. George P. Rose in Thorn street, Sewickley, in honor of Miss Margaret Graham of St. Louis, who is visiting the Misses Anderson of Grant street.

Notes of Society.

A reunion of the Chalmers family was held last Monday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of John B. Chalmers of Friendship avenue. Thirty members of the family connection were present.

A reception and euchre will be given in the Waldorf hall, Allegheny, next Tuesday evening by members of branch 46, L. C. B. A., for the benefit of the Roman Catholic church of Bellevue.

AMONG THE CLUBS

Active Summer Club Work.

A meeting will be called in a day or two to arrange for the annual president's day of Pittsburgh Sorosis. The date is still undecided, both October 5 and October 12 having been rejected, but the committee in charge of the arrangements expects to definitely announce it soon. Pittsburgh Sorosis conducted a summer work which met with much success. There was carried on a child's housekeeping class each week day during six weeks in July and August in the gymnasium of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church. Each afternoon a class of 70 children was instructed in the order and system of housekeeping, together with the cultivation of manners, a decided improvement in the bearing and deportment of the children being one of the noticeable results.

This work was experimental in character, but Sorosis is ambitious to continue it on a large scale, and plans are being discussed for extending the kitchen garden, or child's housekeeping, work into other sections of the city. Sorosis offered to undertake the expense of conducting this work in the summer playgrounds this summer, but the offer was rejected, and consequently it turned its attention to the children of Soho and Oakland.

Travel Classes.

A new feature in the work of the Thurston Preparatory school this year will be the travel classes, which will be conducted under the leadership of Miss Sarah Louise Tracy. Miss Tracy will also have charge of history and literature in the school. The art classes this year will be instructed by Miss Edith Van Renssalaer McIlvaine, who has studied and traveled in Europe as well as in this country. The school opened yesterday morning with a larger enrollment than last year.

Two Schools Combine.

The Westminster-Neville school will open in the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music building, Dithridge street, next Monday. Miss Mary Lynne, principal of the Westminster school, and Miss Bethella Shaw, the principal of the Neville school, have joined forces this year and have given the new school the combined name.

Cooking Demonstrations.

The Young Women's Church Aid of the Methodist Protestant church of Bellevue are making arrangements for a cooking demonstration to be given in the church dining room under the direction of Miss McGovern of the Y. W. C. A. of Pittsburgh on the afternoons and evenings of September 26, 27 and 30.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Richard F. Smythe	Pittsburgh
Mary J. Baldrige	Braddock
Ralph J. White	Coraopolis
Tirzah M. Jordan	Coraopolis
Alfred J. Hamilton	Pittsburgh
Lena B. Williams	East McKeesport
James J. Hickey	East Pittsburgh
Irene Shiring	Turtle Creek
Samuel Laird	Pittsburgh
Sarah D. Peel	Pittsburgh
John Zimmerman	Millvale
Lizzie Boul	Allegheny
W. S. McNerlin	Pittsburgh
Blanche Ward	Pittsburgh
Andrew Dormermeyer	Pittsburgh
Theresa Bastian	Pittsburgh
Frederick Gemkow	Brackenridge
Helen Briggs	Grove City
Raymond McCullough	Elliott borough
Myrtle B. Salisbury	Elliott borough
Allison R. Farquhar	Feytte City
Lucretia J. Seighman	Donora
Henry Klaiher	Braddock
Elizabeth Lang	Millvale
Dennis M. Cush	Homestead
Mary A. Towery	Mifflin township
Roy L. Defibaugh	Allegheny
Alfaretta Horner	Allegheny
Phil T. Faris	Brownsville
Margaret A. McAndrews	West Brownsville
William J. Montgomery	Allegheny
Catherine M. Prentice	Sewickley
August Friebertshauser, Jr.	Allegheny
Ida L. Sander	Allegheny
Charles A. Richardson	Pittsburgh
Margaret Talbott	Pittsburgh
William Kiefer	Allegheny
Philomena Sontag	Allegheny
Edward Bailey	Allegheny
Rosietta Wilson	Allegheny
John Roggers	Beadling
Maria Carter	Mt. Lebanon
Bernard D. Blumenthal	Pittsburgh
Anna Robenovitz	Pittsburgh
John F. Fagan	Wheeling
Josie McCaskill	Allegheny
Claude Hattel	Pittsburgh
Mary R. Thompson	Pittsburgh
Charles McCarrell	Frankfort Springs
Myrtle Kayns	Burgettstown
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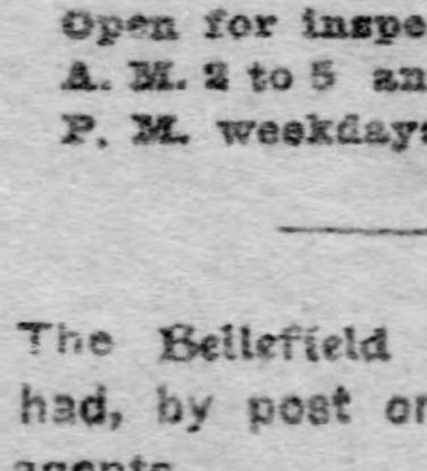

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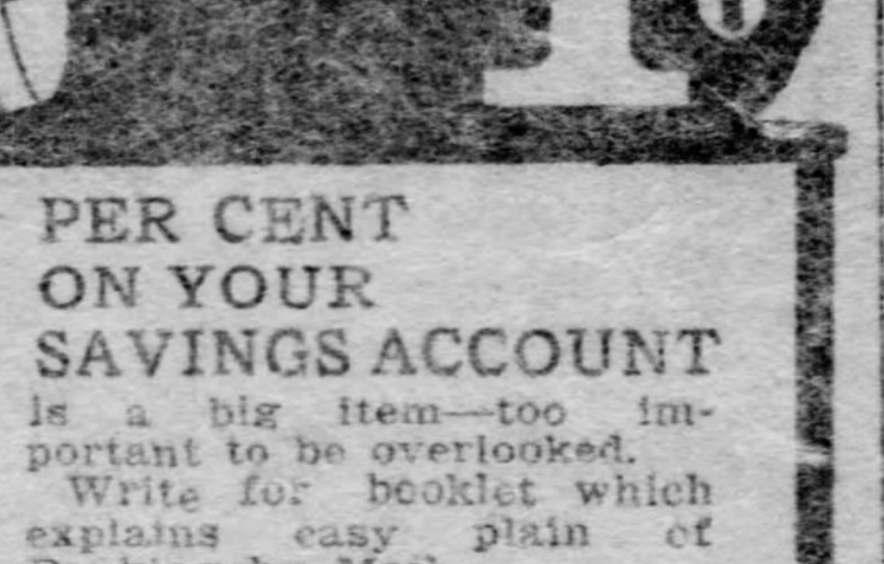

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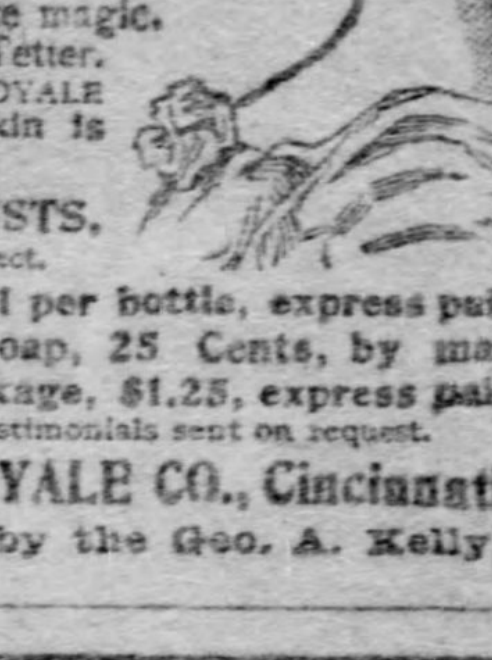

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HIGHLAND AVE., 353 SOUTH—Large front room, suitable for two, $16.

HIGHLAND AVE., 217, South—Alcove room, finely furnished, suitable for couple or three gentlemen.

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HIGHLAND AVE., 325, SOUTH—Nicely furnished room, with board; also roommate; all conveniences.

HIGHLAND AVE., 256, South—One large second floor furnished room.

LARIMER AVE., 233—Furnished large front room, good light, all conveniences; also furnished back room.

MARCHAND ST., 6351, East End—Two large furnished rooms, convenient to cars.

MAYFLOWER ST., 152, East End—One large unfurnished room for rent; both gases; bath.

MARGARETTA ST., 5910, near Highland—Nicely furnished front rooms, near three car lines.

MONTICELLO ST., 7318—Two neatly furnished rooms, every convenience; gentlemen only; near boarding.

MONTICELLO ST., 7328—Cheerful, nicely furnished room; all conveniences; finely located; $2 week.

MURTLAND AVE., 510, near Hamilton; large front room; nicely furnished; suitable for three men.

OAKLAWN, corner Center and Negley aves.—Well furnished room with first-class board; all privileges of club life, billiard room, etc.; gentlemen only.

PENN AVE., 5213—Furnished front room for office; also second floor room.

RACE ST., 7443—Two large neatly furnished rooms, second floor; all conveniences; gentlemen.

SHADY AVE., 271, cor. Marchand—Exceptionally pleasant furnished rooms for rent.

SOUTH HIGHLAND AVE., 335—Large well-furnished second-story front room, both 'phones.

SUSQUEHANNA ST., 7735, Brushton—Two furnished rooms, bath, gentlemen preferred, or housekeeping.

WALNUT ST., 606—Well furnished front room, all conveniences, references.

WALNUT ST., 6106—Furnished room, second story; references exchanged.

Allegheny.

ARCH ST., 600—Elegantly furnished front rooms, all conveniences; reasonable to permanent tenants.

ARCH ST., 510—Very desirable furnished front room, all conveniences, for two gentlemen.

ARCH ST., 810—Two newly furnished connecting rooms with private bath; gases; suitable for two or four persons.

ARCH ST., near parks—Neatly furnished second floor front; rent $12 month. Address N, 157, The Gazette.

ARCH ST., 1200—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

BIDWELL ST., 1033, Allegheny, corner Fayette—Desirable furnished or unfurnished rooms, elegant location.

CEDAR AVE., 804—Very desirable furnished rooms; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

ESPLANADE ST., 1311—Nicely furnished second floor front; all conveniences; private family; gentlemen.

ESPLANADE ST., 1317—Desirable furnished room; suitable for two gentlemen; all conveniences.

FREMONT ST., 1516—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; suitable for two gentlemen.

HEMLOCK ST., 340—Large furnished front room, second floor; conveniences; two gentlemen; private family.

IRWIN AVE., 1112—Two newly furnished rooms, bath; both gases; 'phone; gentlemen preferred.

JAMES ST., 924, corner Third—Two newly furnished front rooms; bath, both gases, electric lights; telephone; gentlemen preferred.

MONTEREY ST., 1225—Nicely furnished connecting rooms, second floor; also two rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences.

NORTH AVE., W., 200—Large furnished front room for three gentlemen; also other rooms.

NORTH AVE., W., 412—Nicely furnished rooms; bath; both gases; 'phone; terms reasonable.

NORTH AVE., W., 408—Very desirable furnished rooms; bath, both gases; $1 50 week up.

PENNSYLVANIA AVE., 1133—Nicely furnished front room; bath, gases, hot and cold water; gentlemen.

REBECCA ST., 902—Large, nicely furnished front room, for two or four gentlemen; private family.

RIDGE AVE., 611—Large front room; newly furnished; breakfast and dinner if desired.

RIDGE AVE., 1264—Neatly furnished room, second floor; bath, both gases; $8 month.

SANDUSKY ST., 708—Nicely furnished front room; suitable for two gentlemen.

SANDUSKY ST., 412—Neatly furnished room; bath, both gases; gentlemen preferred.

STOCKTON AVE., 112—Very desirable furnished front room; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

TO LET—Second floor, consisting of three nice rooms; one is very large front room and two connecting, with all conveniences, furnished; one partly furnished for young couple. 1007 Cabinet st., near Allegheny ave., Allegheny.

UNION AVE., 709—Facing park; nicely furnished front room, bath, both gases.

WASHINGTON ST., 526—Nicely furnished second floor front room; also single rooms; breakfast and 6 o'clock dinner optional; 10 minutes' walk to Pittsburgh. Mrs. Long.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

City and Suburban.

COAL ST., 513, Wilkinsburg—Neatly furnished rooms; boarding if desired; gentlemen preferred.

FIFTH AVE., 3910—Boarding, breakfast and 6 o'clock dinner.

East End.

ALDER ST., 5901, cor. College—Large, handsomely furnished rooms; excellent table board. Bell 'phone 1883 W. Highland.

BELLEFONTE ST., 621—Newly furnished rooms, with or without board; 5 doors from Ellsworth ave.; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

EAST END HOTEL.
Corner Penn and Putnam st., neatly furnished rooms; conveniences; excellent table service and cuisine; rates $2 per day and up; special rates to families and permanent boarders; large grounds and porches.

EUCLID AVE., 730, North—Neatly furnished rooms, one alcove, good boarding.

FIFTH AVE., 5816—Large furnished room; first-class boarding; beautiful location.

MELLON ST., 931, near Wellesley—Furnished rooms, board if desired, near four car lines.

NEVILLE ST., 531—Furnished rooms for couple or gentlemen; large grounds; good table board.

RIPPEY ST., 5634—Pleasant room and board for one or two gentlemen, in private family.

SIMEN AVE., 6744—FIRST-CLASS BOARD AND ROOMS, REFINED GENTLEMEN, REFERENCES, NEAR HAMILTON CARS AND STATION.

S. HIGHLAND AVE., 406—Desirable rooms with table board; references required.

SHADY AVE., 435—Nicely furnished front rooms with board. Bell 'phone 2751-R Highland.

SOUTH NEGLEY, 731—Pleasant room for two gentlemen; bath adjoining; excellent table; private family.

ST. JAMES ST., 811—Desirable room with board. Bell 'phone 798-R Schenley.

"THE LOTHROP,"
Fifth ave., 3519—Beautiful rooms, nicely furnished; excellent table board; porches; all conveniences; reasonable rates.

Allegheny.

ARCH ST., 810—Furnished rooms; nice location; few minutes' walk from city; all conveniences; board if desired.

JUNIATA ST., 1311—Roomers and boarders; bath, both gases; hot and cold water; meal tickets.

SANDUSKY ST., 822—Room and board, $5; meal tickets, 21 meals, $3.50.

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

COLWELL ST., 2021, city—Parlor furnished and two unfurnished rooms; young couple preferred.

PENN AVE., 220, Wilkinsburg—Three unfurnished rooms; conveniences; reasonable; Oct. 1; no children.

REBECCA AVE., 1234, Wilkinsburg—Three large unfurnished housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.

SOUTH AVE., 411, Wilkinsburg—Four large unfurnished rooms; every convenience; desirable location.

THREE modern unfurnished rooms for housekeeping, vicinity of Mulberry and South aves., Wilkinsburg preferred; family of two. Address A. E. Stone, general delivery, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

WYLIE AVE., 909—Two unfurnished rooms, first floor, suitable for doctor or dentist.

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

WALNUT ST., 810, Wilkinsburg—Large furnished front room, gentlemen; one fare to Westinghouse.

East End.

CLAYBOURNE ST., 5514, Shadyside—Five large light unfurnished desirable rooms; $30 mo.; all conveniences; min. to Roup Station.

CRAIG ST., 342, North—Just the thing for a doctor or dentist; two unfurnished first floor front connecting rooms; running water, both gases; electric light.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms to married couple or two ladies, in new flat, Shadyside district. References. Address N 181, The Gazette.

OAKWOOD ST., 570—Three very desirable unfurnished rooms; no children.

ALPINE AVE., 402—Two unfurnished rooms, first floor, for light housekeeping; range, gases, uses of laundry.

FREMONT ST., 1604—Three unfurnished rooms and bath; both gases; terms reasonable; no children.

NORTH AVE., 915—Near Grant.
Allegheny City.
Unfurnished room.
Second story front.
All conveniences.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD.

GENTLEMAN wishes board and furnished room at once in private family for about four weeks; prefer room with running water and in neighborhood of North Highland ave.; describe and state terms. 411 Henry Hotel.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR RENT.

$12.00—Four-room frame dwelling, Lincoln place.

$15.00—Five-room frame dwelling, Elliott Park.

$20.00—Six-room dwelling, Glenmawr ave., Sheridan.

$30.00—Six-room brick dwelling; all conveniences; Junilla st., 13th ward, Pittsburgh.

MORTGAGE BANKING COMPANY,
423 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT.
$15 00—5-room frame dwelling.
$20 00—New frame dwelling, 6 rooms and bath; Miller st., Knoxville.
$22 50—Flat of five rooms and bath, with all conveniences.
$27 50—8-room brick, all conveniences, 147 Julius st., E. E.
MORTGAGE BANKING COMPANY,
423 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT.
Send for our Rent List.
Mailed Free.
CONTINENTAL TRUST COMPANY,
106 Sixth st. (Bessemer Bldg.)

FOR RENT—208 Penn avenue, brick house, ten rooms; centrally located; well adapted for lodging house purposes; reasonable rental. See COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO., 327-329 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—$40; 829 Anderson st., 10 rooms; modern; immediate possession.
HOME TRUST COMPANY,
Wood St. and Sixth Ave.

FOR RENT—40 Reed street, nine-room brick house, in first-class condition; reasonable rental. See Commonwealth Real Estate Company, 327-329 Fourth avenue.

HOUSE—For rent, $14, brick house; natural gas for heat and light; gas range, front porch; Orchard st., Swissvale.
GEO. C. NORRIS & CO., 430 Fourth ave., Or 7728 Stanton st., Swissvale. Both 'phones.

HILLTOP—NEW HOUSE, 6 rooms and bath; possession at once; $20; also 3 rooms and bath, $13. M. S. METCALFE, 413 Fourth ave., room 302.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR RENT.
1306 ALLEGHENY AVE.
Three-story brick house; 9 rooms, bath, pantries and laundry; suitable for two families.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal St.,
Allegheny, Pa.

TEN-ROOM HOUSE, $25.
50 Windsor st., near Grant ave., Allegheny, 3-story brick, 10 rooms, reception hall, vestibule, bath, range, stationary tubs, etc. Reduced to $25 a month.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

FOR RENT—House, 6 rooms and attic; all conveniences; $28. 860 Kirkpatrick ave., Allegheny.

East End Residences.

SEND for our rent list; mailed free.
LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
6128 Penn ave., East End.

SEND postal for complete rent list of East End houses, apartments and stores.
J. W. SHERRER, 6106 Penn ave.

Apartments.

FOR RENT.
APARTMENTS WITH MODERN CONVENIENCES.
Location Very Desirable and Convenient.

Meadow st.—Four rooms	$25.00
Princeton place, near Station st.—Four rooms, steam heat and hot water free	27.50
Collins ave.—Five rooms, steam heat and hot water free. Rent	37.50
Winebiddle ave. (Cor. Friendship)—Four rooms	40.00
South St. Clair st., (Bet. Penn and Baum)—Six rooms; steam heat and hot water free	45.00
Penn ave. and Roup st. (Idaho building)—Six rooms; steam heat and hot water free	50.00
Pacific ave. (nr. Penn ave.)—Seven rooms, hardwood floors and finish; steam heat and hot water free	60.00
Dithridge st. Cor. Winthrop (Bet. Fifth ave. and Forbes)—Six rooms; steam heat and hot water free	60.00

A complete list of houses and apartments, with map of East End, will be mailed free upon request.
S. H. LLOYD,
6022 Penn ave., E. E.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ALLEGHENY APARTMENTS
FOR RENT.
Two beautiful apartments located near Perrysville ave., of 5 rooms and bath, cabinet mantels, instantaneous water heater, combination chandeliers and every modern convenience; nicest location in Allegheny; $25 per month.

CORNER Hamilton and Dallas aves.—Apartment of 4 rooms, tile bath, inst. water heater, every modern convenience; $24; nothing nicer in East End for $35 per month.

2407 FORBES ST.—Apartment of 3 rooms and bath; inst. water heater, both gases and gas range; $18.
H. A. SHAFFER CO., 430 Fourth ave.

FAR FROM DIRT AND SMOKE.
If you live in the Franklin apartments, corner Peebles and Franklin streets, East End. Only one suite vacant—four rooms with bath, range, both gases, cabinet mantels, tile hearths, laundry with stationary tubs, etc. Each flat has large roomy cupboards. Two short squares from three car lines; only $25 a month.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT.
—A-P-A-R-T-M-E-N-T-S—
Head of Monongahela incline, Mt. Washington; 6 rooms and bath; gas, private cellar, laundry, clothes dryer, hot water free; 10 minutes from Fifth ave.
APPLY 42 WYOMING ST.

FOR RENT—Near Fifth ave. and Seneca st., attractive apartments, three and four rooms, all modern fixtures; rental $17 to $22 per month.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327-329 Fourth ave.

YOUNG physician will rent part of large, fine house, just remodeled and furnished. Location unexcelled (Shady ave.) Suitable for family or single gentleman. Write P 150, The Gazette.

FOR RENT—BRADBERRY APARTMENTS, Race st., Allegheny; rents reduced. See
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT—Elegant furnished flat, four rooms and bath, $30 month; good location. Address W 150, The Gazette.

Business Properties.

HOTEL.

Licensed hotel, central "downtown;" over one hundred rooms; building in good condition; long term lease; rent $10,000 per year.

SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO.,
Farmers Bank Building.

WOOD STREET STORE. FOR RENT—Desirable store building, 20x80 ft., four floors, recently remodeled and in first-class condition; low rental; immediate possession. See COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE COMPANY, 327-329 Fourth ave.

Furnished Houses.

FURNISHED HOUSES.
FOR RENT—Bellefield district, completely furnished in all particulars, 12-room brick; bath, all modern conveniences, steam heat, water heater; large lot, fine location; low rental until April 1; immediate possession.
HOME TRUST COMPANY,
Wood St. and Sixth Ave.

Offices.

OFFICES three squares from court house, large front rooms, all conveniences.
SMITH NEW OFFICE BUILDING,
806-808 Wylie ave.

Desk Room.

Desk room or part of office on first floor; use of 'phone. 442 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT.

Storerooms.

TO LET
SMITHFIELD STREET
Opposite Kaufmann's, [illegible] store rooms, immediate possession.
Samuel W. Black & Co.,
Farmers Bank Building.

FOR RENT.
One-half storeroom, Penn ave., close to Sixth st.; fine location for any woman's specialty; rent $50 per month.
SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO.,
Farmers Bank Building.

ALLEGHENY STOREROOM.
TO LET—611 East Ohio st., attractive storeroom and basement, gases, electric light, etc.; reasonable rental. See Commonwealth Real Estate Company, 327-329 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

HOUSES
FOR SALE.
EASY TERMS.
New modern frame dwellings of six and eight rooms, with all conveniences; now ready for occupancy, in the Perrysville avenue district; ten minutes' ride from Allegheny market.

New brick dwellings of six rooms, with all modern improvements; Junilla st., 13th ward, Pittsburgh.

New frame dwellings of five rooms; 18 minutes' car ride from Pittsburgh postoffice.

New four-room frame dwelling in Lincoln Place.

We will consider vacant lots in exchange for any of our properties.
MORTGAGE BANKING COMPANY,
423 Fourth ave.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—
$4,000 HOMES
At Swissvale, along line of Swissvale, Rankin and Braddock car line, 5 minutes' walk from Swissvale station, 5-cent fare from East Pittsburgh, Braddock, Homestead, Duquesne and Wilkinsburg.
These houses are pressed brick, cemented cellars, laundry, furnace, have 8 rooms, bath, gas range, grained, papered and all new.
TERMS—$500 cash, balance on easy payments.
F. B. TOMB,
803 Farmers Bank Bldg.,
PITSBURGH, PA.

FOR SALE.
Ingram, Pa.—Frame house, 6 rooms and bathroom, hall, porches, cab. mantels, gas, water; lot 25x120 ft.; price $2,100; small cash payment, balance $18 per month; also 4-room house and bathroom; cab. mantels, hall, gas, water, porches; lot 25x120; near to R. R. and street cars; price $1,750; small payment down, balance $15 per month.
THOMPSON-VOWINCKEL CO.,
331 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.
Two squares from Lincoln ave., frame house of 8 rooms, reception hall, bath, laundry, front and rear porches, slate roof, and all modern improvements. House heated with hot water. This house was built by the present owner for a home and is extra well built. Best of reasons for selling. Lot 34x100. Price only $4,300. Terms $1,450 cash, mortgage for the balance.
ALSO
AVALON, one-half square from car line, frame, 8 rooms and 2 attic rooms, bath, laundry, front and rear porches, slate roof, lot 87x105; house in first-class condition; possession at once. Will rent for $40 per month. Price only $4,500.
BELLEVUE REALTY SAV. & TRUST CO.,
Bellevue, Pa.

FOR SALE.
—B—E—L—L—E—V—U—E—
Two new frame houses, each reception hall, 9 rooms, bath, laundry, pantry; lot 34x110. If sold immediately, $4,000; $1,000 cash, balance on time.
HENRY W. ARMSTRONG,
218 Federal st., Allegheny.

HOUSE—For sale, $1,800; Addison st., near Reed st., frame house of 5 rooms, hall, bathroom, washstand, inside w. c., natural gas, slate roof, large dry cellar; front porch; lot 26x80; small cash payment, balance as rent.
JAMES H. THOMPSON,
411 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.
$2,000—$500 Cash.
Balance Monthly.
New house, 4 rooms; gas, bath; lot 22x100; newly papered.
HALLER-DIBERT REAL ESTATE CO.,
118 Sheridan st., East End.

HOUSE—For sale, $4,200, Ingram, Linden ave., new frame dwelling, center hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, complete pantry, china closet, natural gas, furnace, front and rear porch; lot 50x162; corner property; easy terms.
JAMES H. THOMPSON,
411 Fourth ave.

HOUSE and lot located at Phillipston, Clarion county, Pa.; lot 1 acre and 6-room frame house; surrounding property owned by Pennsylvania R. R.; suitable for residential purposes; bargain. Inquire of R. Liberto, P. O. Box 38, Oakmont, Pa.

A BARGAIN.
Ingram frame dwelling; 7 rooms and attic; bath room; lot 50x140; everything in good condition. Price $3,750. See us.
LANG REALTY CO.,
Bell 'phone 1618 Court. 248 Fourth ave.

DON'T MISS THIS.
A fine suburban home, 8 rooms, finished attic, large dry cellar, bath and closet; water all through house, laundry, bake oven in cellar, instantaneous heater; large lot. For terms, etc., address D 191, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Sewickley, new frame house, 8 rooms; all modern conveniences; price $3,250.
JAMES A. COOPER & CO.,
413 Fourth ave.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE.
The beautiful Colonial residence of the late William S. King, situate on North Highland avenue, corner Grafton street, lot 79 25-100 feet, fronting on North Highland avenue, extending back 180 feet to a line; width in rear, 153 90-100 feet. (More frontage can be had if desired.) This beautiful and complete residence, finished last November, contains 14 rooms and 3 bathrooms upstairs and 1 in basement. Everything that entered into the construction and finish of this house is of the very best. Hot water heating; decorations by Van Tine. House open for inspection. Further information, price, etc., on application to either the Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Wood st. and Fourth ave., or Thos. D. Bell, Maeder bldg., 433 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh; room No. 405.

WE HAVE for sale the following desirable properties located in East End:
$7,000—Modern brick house of ten rooms; lot 32x90 feet; possession November 1.
$7,500—A very desirable frame house of 11 rooms; modern conveniences; lot 60x120 feet; possession if desired.
$8,000—New brick house of ten rooms; all the most modern up-to-date improvements; large porches front and back; lot 30x110 feet; this will please you.
$10,000 will take the brick cottage style house of 10 rooms, complete in every part; good lot; convenient location; can make liberal terms.
$15,000—Reception room brick dwelling of 12 rooms; modern improvements; lot 75x160 feet; can arrange liberal terms.
J. A. YOUNG & CO.,
Penn and Highland aves.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

ONLY $10,000
for a beautiful brick reception hall house on Squirrel Hill; 11 rooms; every convenience; lot 50x130 feet.
UNION REALTY CO.,
Penn ave. and Ninth st.

$16,000—SQUIRREL HILL—$16,000
Complete house of 12 rooms and three tile baths near corner Northumberland and Wightman sts.; first floor hardwood and all other paints to correspond; examination will prove that this house is offered $4,000 below cost of duplication. Always open for inspection.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

FOR RENT.
East End Residences.
Partial List:

Center ave., brick, 12 rooms	$125 00
Boquet st., brick, 14 rooms	100 00
Murray Hill ave., brick, 12 rooms	67 50
Clarissa st., brick, 9 rooms	20 00

Also Allegheny houses and apartments.
A. Z. BYERS & CO.,
621-2 Farmers Bank bldg.

GEO. B. KELLY,
6200 Penn Ave.
Bell 'Phone 144 High. P. & A. 357 East.
A LOVELY HOME IN THE EAST END CHEAP.
A 9-room reception-hall brick on a lot 135 ft. deep between two of the best car lines in the city.
Price $6,500.

FOR SALE—At a fair offer,
A complete $7,500 brick
House, new, modern, 10 rooms,
Offered at a bargain in order
To sell soon.
Well located, Black st., East End.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327 Fourth ave.

NEW 10-room brick house, 217 Lathrop st., Oakland, near Fifth ave.; house and surroundings ideal; low price; inspection invited. J. M. Wanner Co., 609 Times bldg.

FOR SALE.

Allegheny Residences.

VERNER AVE. RESIDENCE.
FOR SALE—Verner ave., near California and Davis aves., Allegheny. A modern home of 6 rooms, reception hall, bath, laundry, cabinet mantels, etc. Price $4,300. Only $500 cash, balance to suit. Immediate possession.
S. M. KENNEDY & CO.,
307 Federal st., Allegheny.

PERRYSVILLE AVE. DISTRICT.
FOR SALE—Only $2,750, a nice 6-room frame, with bath, both gases, chandelier, porch, etc.; about 3 minutes' walk from cars; $500 down, balance to suit.
S. M. KENNEDY & CO.,
307 Federal st., Allegheny.

ONLY $1,550; terms reasonable; Benton, near Perrysville ave., Allegheny; very good house, corner lot, 75 feet front, 125 deep; front and side porches; good well, grape vines, etc.; a rare bargain.
MARCUS & MAZER,
417 Ferguson Block.

Farms.

FOR SALE—$6,000 farm, 125 acres, located 15 miles east of Pittsburgh in Westmoreland county; the road leading from Pittsburgh to this farm is macadamized more than half the distance; 9-room frame house in good condition; bank barn, 60x80; all necessary outbuilding; farm is well watered, has 18 acres of good oak timber, two orchards, one just started; farm in good state of cultivation; good fences; land rolling; gas near building; three miles to station, on T. C. V. R. R.; near church and school; $3,500 down, balance on easy payments. J, Gazette Branch Wilkinsburg.

FOR SALE.
17-acre farm, Clarion Co., Pa.; 80 acres improved; balance timber land; rolling; underlaid with 4-ft. vein coal; bank open; 4 miles from R. R.; good frame house of 8 rooms; 3 porches; new bank barn 40x48 ft., etc.; good orchard; fine spring water; a great bargain at $2,200; easy terms.
THOMPSON-VOWINCKEL CO.,
331 Fourth ave.

FARM.
50 acres; good land; ½ mile from station, 22 miles from city; 5-room house, barn, etc.; good orchard; a bargain at $2,500.
ZAHNISER & CO.,
426 Fourth ave.

TEN acres good, level land, near Atlantic City; price only $150, payable $6.50 monthly. Large new illustrated booklet G2 free. WALTER BECKER, 434 Fourth ave.

SEND FOR ILLUSTRATED Ohio farm list. NEILL & BLAKESLEE, Oakmont, Pa.

Lands and Acreage.

TWO large farms; only 10 miles from East Liberty; situated in Plum township; houses, barns, etc., in No. 1 condition; fine orchards; good quality and quantity of timber and coal; close to improved country road; plenty of good water; terms easy. Robert Niblock, 5818 Hays st., East End.

Lots.

FOR SALE.

BUILDING SITE. BIG BARGAIN.

One of the finest in the East End. 200 feet fronting Murrayhill ave., running back 200 feet overlooking Fifth ave. Must be sold.
YODER & YODER,
Fifth and Wylie aves. Yoder Law Building.

ASK US
about a nice level lot on Squirrel Hill; size 75x142 feet; within two hundred feet of cars; if sold this month owner will take $3,500. A bargain; sure to increase in value.
UNION REALTY CO.,
Penn ave. and Ninth st.

B-E-L-L-E-V-U-E.
I have good level lot, 50x189, in Rodgers ave., Bellevue (paved), which I will sell cheap for cash if sold before October 1.
W. F. WEITERSHAUSEN,
617 East Ohio St., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Finest building sites on Perrysville and Marshall aves.; lines and restrictions established; big rebates on lots sold before October 1. Call 1106 Arrott Bldg.; 'phone Court 210.

Coal Lands.

FOR EXCHANGE—A first-class operating coal mine in Ohio, mining the Hocking seam of coal; this property can be sold at a bargain, and the owner will take city real estate as part payment.

A small coal property on the P. & L. E. R. R., which must be sold at once; this is an excellent opportunity to start in the coal business with small capital; inquire for particulars.
BLACK & BAIRD,
Farmers Bank building.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.
Have fine suburban house of 6 rooms and attic, rec. hall, bath, range, h. and c. water, front and rear porch; 50-ft. lot; street paved; right on car line; also 4-room house, hall, cellar, well water; lot 80x120 ft.; two squares from station; will exchange for house of 5 or 6 rooms in Allegheny.
THOMPSON-VOWINCKEL CO.,
331 Fourth ave.

FOR EXCHANGE—Good clear lots in good locality; will exchange for small houses or for a farm and assume mortgage or pay some cash; state specifically what you have for exchange. Address M 200, The Gazette.

NEW apartment building, conveniently located in East End, paying about 7 per cent net, will exchange equity for clear vacant property in the city or Wilkinsburg. Coyle Bros., 506-507-508 Keystone b'l'g., 324 Fourth ave.

WILL EXCHANGE LOTS FOR GROCERY. Lots are level; size 25x100 feet; worth $500 each.
HALLER-DIBERT REAL ESTATE CO.,
118 Sheridan st., East End.

Business Opportunities.

BUSINESS.
RESTAURANT—Strictly first-class place in city; corner location; splendid business district; sales for the past 3 years average $73.50 per day; good lease at reasonable rental; equipment is complete and of best quality; present owners have other interests; will show books for amount business done; the price, $4,000, is below actual worth; a splendid opening for capable man. See exclusive agents.

BUTTER AND EGG STORE—Well located, open front stand on splendid business street in city; handles fine line teas, coffees, bottled and canned goods; sales about $200 per week; long lease, reasonable rental; unusually attractive place. A great bargain at $725.

CIGAR AND CONFECTIONERY STORE—Very attractive stand, good business street, city; soda fountain, marble top counters, show cases, etc.; doing nice business; rent store and 6 living rooms only $32; present owner been there 3 years; other business reason for selling; a great bargain at $450.
MILLS-SLAUGENHOUPT CO.,
428 Fourth ave.

GROCERY.
Good location in Allegheny; clean stock; good trade; low rent; price $450.
CIGAR AND STATIONERY.
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JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park Way, Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies.
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550-light dynamo and engine connected.
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GASOLINE YACHTS COMPLETE.
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The IMPROVED DOMESTIC sewing machine with CHAIN AND LOCK STITCH. Domestic office LOCATED AT
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LARGEST STOCK of typewriters in city; prices lowest; rentals $2 and up. Philadelphia Typewriter and Supply Co., 323-4 Lewis Blk.

Pianos.

PIANO OPPORTUNITY—$450 upright, guaranteed; cover, stool, little used; must sell; $150, delivered. Linderman, Box 632, Pittsburgh.

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PARLOR, bedroom and dining room suites; goods can be seen any afternoon after 2 o'clock. Owner leaving city; no dealers. 1336 Fayette st., Allegheny, first floor.

Miscellaneous.

PAINT PRESERVES PROPERTY.
Protect your house with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth Ave.
711 Forbes st. Both Telephones.

FOR SALE—Billiard tables, new and second-hand. We lead the world in cheap bar fixtures. Easy payments. Brunswick-Balke-Collender, 100 Smithfield st.

FOR SALE—Steel restaurant ranges and broilers, copper steam table, coffee urn at cost to close out. Weldon & Kelly Company, Wood st.

BUY your pool tables on easy payments, 233 Diamond st. Shelving, cases, also.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

DIVIDENDS.

Office of
THE UNION SWITCH & SIGNAL COMPANY,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 21, 1904.
The board of directors of this company has this day declared a quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred and 2 per cent on the common stock, both payable by check October 10 to stockholders of record October 1, 1904. The stock transfer books will be closed October 1 and 10, inclusive.
JAS. J. JOHNSON,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.
Of Pittsburgh, 311 Fourth ave.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 20, 1904.
DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a quarterly dividend of two and one-half (2½) per cent on the capital stock, payable October 1, 1904, to stockholders of record on September 26, 1904. Checks will be mailed.
W. S. VAN DYKE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Office of
THE WESTINGHOUSE AIRBRAKE CO.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 21, 1904.
DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company has this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent and an extra dividend of 2½ per cent, both payable to stockholders of record on October 10, 1904. Transfer books will be closed from October 1 to 10, both inclusive.
JOHN CALDWELL,
Treasurer.

PERSONALS.

PERSONAL—
BETTER THAN ATLANTIC CITY
Is the amount of good received to health by taking a trip on the Allegheny, Perrysville and Wexford U. S. Mail; also livery stable in connection at end and West View car line. J. O'Neil Express, 813-815 West Diamond st., Allegheny. Tel. 453 North.

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PERSONAL—Any poor girl in trouble, needing friends or home call on or write to Matron Salvation Army Rescue Home, 705 Grandview ave., Mt. Washington, Pittsburgh, Pa.

PERSONAL—Reliable watch repairing; cash paid for old gold. CHRIST. HAUCH, 541 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

BENTS' DESTROYER kills lice on children; death to all insects; cures dandruff and falling hair; harmless, 25c, at May's, 506 Market st.

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BRAUN'S Private School of Dancing, Twenty-second season will open, advanced class, Saturday, September 17; beginners' class Monday, September 19; juvenile class, Saturday afternoon, September 17. Director W. F. Braun, president International Association masters of dancing. The Auditorium, 200 to 214 South Highland ave. Bell 'phone 9063 Highland.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER.

LANGDON & WARRINGTON,
Shorthand reporters, typewriters and graphophone operators; mimeographing, notary public; evening engagements. Bell 'phone Court 3193-W.; Highland 2621-R. 526 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

INVESTORS' AND PROMOTERS' OPPORTUNITY—Slate property for sale, partly developed; with little additional capital will earn 15 per cent on the investment; investigate. Address P. O. Box 43, Slatington, Pa.

FOUND.

FOUND—Another special sale of odd lots of fine wall paper at 3 cents a bolt. Enough for small and medium rooms; Friday only. Fort Pitt Wall Paper Co., 919-921 Penn ave.

MONEY TO LOAN.

Rooting for Roosevelt or Parker?
If you are going to spend any time or money in the campaign you may need some ready cash. We will loan you all you need at 6 per cent, the lowest rate in Allegheny county. Diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, furs, clothing, etc., accepted as security. Our fire-proof vaults are protected from burglars by electricity.
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ON DIAMONDS. ON WATCHES.
ON MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
ON FIREARMS.
Special Rates—At less than others advertise.
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J. Q. H. SMITH, 418 Fourth ave.

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On Diamonds, Watches, etc.
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WANTED—Good mortgages on first-class properties at 5 per cent interest—can use any amount at this rate; must be 50 per cent margin. Mortgage Banking Company, 423 Fourth ave.

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INDIVIDUAL LOANS on first and second mortgages. Collaterals; no delay. Box 1695.

INDIVIDUAL will loan money at 6 per cent. 2d mortgages, notes or heirs to estate. Box 863.

LEGAL NOTICES.

L. S. LEVIN, attorney-at-law, No. 411 Grant street, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Court of common pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, ss., state of Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court at No. 1541 October term, 1904, on Saturday, October 15, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., by Richard Kelly, William A. Riley, Robert Denniston, and others, under the act of assembly entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Police and Detective Protective and Beneficial Association of Pittsburgh, Pa.," the character and object of which is accumulating a fund by dues collected from its members, by legacies, benefits, gifts, and other sources, in order that from this fund benefits may be paid to sick or indigent members of said corporation, and also to provide counsel and pay fines and costs of suits at law for its members. The circumstances under which they shall be paid and the parties to whom they shall be paid to be determined by the by-laws of said corporation. And for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothontary's office. L. S. Levin, Solicitor.

SAMUEL L. DILLE, Attorney-at-Law, No. 232 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Court of common pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, ss.: State of Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court at No. 1401, October term, 1904, on Saturday, the 8th day of October, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., by James Sample, Joseph L. Terry, Herman W. Denny, Charles Denny, David W. Faulk, Alice B. Hughes, Eliza J. Russell, Lena E. Schick, Mrs. S. H. Bowman, Charles M. Thompson, David Milliken and others, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called Jacks Run Presbyterian Mission Sabbath School, the character and object of which is the worship of Almighty God according to the faith, doctrines, discipline and usages of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly, and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothonotary's office. Samuel L. Dille, solicitor.

STONECIPHER & RALSTON, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 609 Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Conrad Fischer, deceased, late of Allegheny County, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. H. J. Menges, administrator, No. 201 Wood street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. H. & H. H. ROWAND, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 408 Grant street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Gottlieb Luty, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Frederick G. Luty, Administrator, No. 112 Patterson street, McKees Rocks, Pa.

BRUCE MILLARD, Attorney-at-Law, No. 314 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Annie D. Kearns, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Mary E. Coyle, Administratrix, No. 149 Dithridge street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

JAS. A. WAKEFIELD, Attorney-at-Law, 1102 Frick building. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Ann Jane Ferguson, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Francis R. Ferguson, George S. Ferguson, executors. August 17, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of August Sieg, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Herman Sieg, executor, Jancey street, Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh.

J. F. WALLACE, Attorney-at-Law, Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Andrew Shane, deceased, late of South Fayette township, Allegheny county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. R. M. Shane, Samuel Shane, executors, McDonald, Pa.

J. W. COLLINS, attorney-at-law. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of George Wells, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Dollar Savings Fund and Trust Co., administrator.

LOST.

LOST—A lady's open face gold watch and fob near Liberty street and Sixth avenue on Saturday morning. Any person returning these to 701 Penn building will be rewarded.

LOST—Small hand bag containing about $10 and one key; suitable reward if returned to Horne-Stewart Co., Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh.

LOST—Brown horse, weighing about 1,250 lbs.; dinge on right hip; $20 reward if returned to Max Merls, Braddock, Pa.

LOST—A white bulldog, weight about 35 lbs.; reward. C. C. SHANAHAN, corner Magee and Ann sts.

PATENTS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 305 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3 No. 536 August term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for the vacation of Marburg street, First ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 3d day of October, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

SAM'L T. M'CLELLAND,
SAM'L A. PURVIS,
GEO. F. LARIMER,
Viewers.

EASTERN STOCK MARKET REGAINS ITS STRENGTH

Bears Are Shown to Have Been Over Precipitate in Tuesday's Selling—Union Pacific Dealings Turn the Tide—U. S. Steel Higher.

The recovery in the stock market yesterday was rapid and very general throughout the list. The events were accepted as proof that the bears had been over precipitate in selling short yesterday and felt obliged to buy stocks to cover. The weather news from the west made it evident that the fears expressed on Tuesday of frost damage had not been realized, owing partly, it was believed, to the cloudy conditions which saved the crop from serious damage.

Tuesday's selling for western account was on an enormous scale, based on the prospects of frost damage. The warmer weather of yesterday consequently drove a large short interest to cover. There was some remaining apprehension of further frosts last night and the date for the maturity of the crop is now believed to be later than was recently supposed, thus extending the period of uncertainty over the outcome. But the immediate conditions yesterday were decidedly safer and offered no encouragement to the bears to extend their operations.

The early uncertainty of the market gave way to increased firmness and a general upward tendency. The rise in Union Pacific was attributed to a demand from shorts, but the movement was surrounded with more or less mystery and was the subject of many rumors. Some of these had to do with supposed competitive buying looking to the strengthening of control on account of alleged divergence of views amongst powerful capitalists heretofore in accord in the railroad world. The recent admission to the board of directors of the Western Pacific, now under construction, of E. E. Hawley and of representatives of the Gould interests, was advanced as the supposed cause of the differences. But the strength of Union Pacific caused an improvement in the general list by sympathy, a result hardly to be expected from a contest for control in the open market, as demonstrated by the always remembered precedent of the Northern Pacific corner. News to account immediately for the conspicuous demand for Union Pacific was lacking.

United States Steel preferred was also benefited to a notable extent by a demand from uncovered shorts, which served to change opinions as to the amount of the preceding day's large selling of this stock, which was due to liquidation. The usual close sympathy was manifested between Pennsylvania and United States Steel preferred.

There was no new development in the money situation, but the process of depletion of reserves by withdrawals for the interior continued and the tone of the money market grew firmer. Sterling exchange was weak and money and discounts hardened in London, which is expecting withdrawals of gold to Berlin and Vienna, as well as the later demand from New York.

Reports of condition of national banks under the controller's call as of September 6, are scanned with interest as they are reported from Washington, and as thus far reported show that reserves in the west and south are rather lower than last year. The full normal demand upon New York is thus believed to be in prospect. The demand showed signs of repletion in the latter part of the day and the market closed rather easy and intensely dull.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,940,000. United States 2s and the old 4s advanced ⅛ per cent on call.

The local stock market was fairly active yesterday, with irregular prices. There was some selling pressure on Crucible preferred which sagged ¾, while the common advanced ⅛ to 6⅛. Brewing common lost ⅛. Luster mining was in good demand and advanced ¼ to 14¼, a new high mark. Manufacturers Light and Heat also was active and closed at 36½, an advance of ½. Pittsburgh Coal preferred moved up ¾ on a sale of 25 shares at 61¾. River coal prefered was fractionally weaker, as was Sewer Pipe. United States Steel common closed unchanged at 16¾, touching 16¼ during the day. The preferred reflected the New York advance and closed at 67½, a rise of one point. Westinghouse Electric seconds were weaker, going as low as 80, but closing at 80½ on a small sale. 120½ was obtained for one bond of the Pittsburgh Junction First Mortgage 6s. There was a private sale of 10 shares of Colonial Trust at 350, an improvement of $10. Real Estate Trust also was stronger the added dividend causing lively bidding. It was wanted at 225 and offered at 230. The bid for Westinghouse Air Brake advanced 1¼ on the announcement of the dividend.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

100 Crucible pfd..	39¼	5 Luster	13¼
30 do	39⅛	50 do	13½
100 Sewer Pipe...	21⅝	20 do	13⅝
100 U.S. Stl. pfd.	67	5 do	13½
$1000 P. Junc. 1st m. 6s	120½	5 do	13½

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

15 M. L. & H...	36¼	150 U. S. Stl. pfd.	66⅝
10 do	36¼	10 Riv. Coal pfd.	21¾
12 do	36½	50 Brewing com..	24⅞
50 do	36⅜	100 Crucible com..	6⅛
40 do	36⅜	9 F. Proof com..	9
40 U.S. Stl. com.	16⅝	10 Luster	13¾
25 Crucible pfd.	39	100 Ohio Fuel	38
40 do	39	100 Electric 2nds..	80¼
20 do	39	50 do	80¼
15 do	38⅞	50 do	80
10 do	38⅞	100 do	80
50 do	38⅞	2 do	80½

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

10 Brewing com.	24⅝	10 Crucible com..	6⅛
20 do	24⅜	180 Luster	14
50 do	24⅜	10 do	14
10 do	24⅜	10 do	14
400 U.S. Stl. com.	16⅝	5 do	14¼
25 do	16⅝	5 do	14⅛
100 U.S. Stl. pfd.	67	10 do	14
100 do	67½	13 do	14
20 Crucible pfd.	39	100 do	14
5 do	39	20 do	14¼
5 do	39	13 do	14
20 do	39	10 do	14¼
5 do	39	25 P. Coal pfd.	61¾
25 do	39	10 M L & H.	36½
30 Crucible com.	6¼	$5.25 Pgh. Coal div scrip.	103⅛%
10 do	6¼		

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

100 U.S. Stl. pfd.	67½	20 Crucible com..	6¼
20 Con. Ice com.	5⅞	5 M. L. & H...	36½

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
140	Brewing	24⅞	24⅜	24⅜	−⅛
20	Cons. Ice	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	−⅛
170	Cruc. Steel	6¼	6⅛	6⅛	+⅛
370	Do preferred	39¼	38⅞	39	−¾
9	Fireproof	9	9	9	0
471	Luster Mining	14¼	*13¼	14¼	+¼
141	Mfrs. L. & H.	36½	36¼	36½	+½
100	Ohio Fuel	38	38	38	....
25	Pgh. Coal pfd.	61¾	61¾	61¾	+¾
*10	River Coal pfd.	21¾	21¾	21¾	−¼
100	Sewer Pipe	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	−⅛
465	U. S. Steel	16¾	16⅝	16¾	0
550	Do preferred	67½	66⅞	67½	+
302	West. Elec. 2s	*80½	80	*80½	−⅜
2873					
	BONDS.				
$1,000	P. J. 1st m. 6s	120½	120½	120½	+1⅜
	SCRIP.				
$5.25	P. Coal pf. div.	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	−¼

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Arsenal Bank	50	135	....
Federal National	100	180	....
Lincoln National	50	240	....
Iron & Glass Dollar	100	....	300
German National, Pgh.	100	....	240
Traders & Mechanics	50	70	....
Equitable Trust	100	160	....
Guarantee Title & Trust	100	....	180
Real Estate Trust	100	225	230
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	36¼	36½
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	38	....

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Oil & Gas	100	56	....
Fayette Gas	100	85	....
Peoples Pipage	25	23	....
Union Natural Gas	100	88½	....
Luster Mining	10	14	14½
Citizens Traction	50	....	69
Pleasant Valley Traction	25	26	....
West. Electric, Assenting	50	80½	80¾
American Window Glass pfd	100	27½	35
Monongahela Incline Plane	50	62	....
Consolidated Ice	50	5½	6¼
Crucible Steel	100	6⅛	6¼
Do preferred	100	38⅞	39
Monon. River Coal pfd	50	....	22
Monongahela Water	25	36	....
Marsden	100	3¼	....
National Fireproofing	50	9½	9⅝
Do preferred	50	30½	30⅞
Philadelphia Co	50	41	....
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24⅝	24⅞
Do preferred	50	44⅞	45½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	13⅝	14
Do preferred	100	61	61¼
Pittsburgh Stove & Range	50	4½	....
Do preferred	100	....	14
United States Glass	100	37½	....
United States Steel	100	16½	16⅞
Do preferred	100	....	67½
American Sewer Pipe	100	21½	21⅞
Westinghouse Airbrake	500	131¼	....
BONDS.			
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s		....	113½
Consolidated Gas 5s		108	....
Duquesne Traction 5s		114	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s		....	100
Pgh., Bess. & L. E. Con. 5s		113	....
Birmingham Traction 5s		112½	114
Pittsburgh Junction 6s		120½	....
Harbison-Walker 5s		100	....
American Sewer Pipe 6s		96½	....

PIG IRON WARRANTS.

Class.	Bid.	Ask.
A—November delivery	$13.65	$13.85
B—November delivery	12.50	12.75
D—November delivery	12.70	12.85
D—September delivery	12.55	....
D—October delivery	12.60	....

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The decision of Judge Elliott Rodgers in common pleas court No. 2 yesterday in favor of the plaintiffs in the suit of Morris & Brown to recover from James H. McCutcheon possesses more than ordinary interest to brokers and their customers. The court upholds the brokers' contention and incidentally the legality of "selling short." The paying of a premium for the use of a stock for a short time is also held legal. The brokerage firm affected was the one succeeded by the present firm of Morris, Brown & Co.

At the annual meeting of the American Steel Founderies to be held October 4, several important changes in the directorate are looked for. The present management is understood to have planned for the new year an extensive rehabilitation of business, and it is believed that the controlling interests in the company will name a board of directors at the annual meeting, each member of which will be in entire accord with the new plans.

The dealings in Union Pacific yesterday under the stress of an exceptional demand occupied much of the attention of the traders in New York and elsewhere, and many attempts were made to obtain the real reason for the developments in the stock. It advanced strongly during the day and helped to lift the entire market. Below are some of the comments on the stock in the telegraphic letters to Pittsburgh brokers:

"Who the real buyers were it was hard to determine. The character of the buying seemed to be the same as has been for the last two months. Probably the stock will be put on a 5 per cent basis in order to induce the convertible bondholders to convert their bonds into stock."

"The feature of today's transactions was the continued heavy buying of Union Pacific, and it can be said that the street was much mystified as to the reason of these operations. The short interest cannot be held responsible for today's advance in this security, and the only plausible theory is that an increased dividend can be looked for later and the readjustment of Southern Pacific securities."

"We are told Southern Pacific is not likely to pay a dividend on its common until its funded debt is readjusted, but this will come soon, and a dividend is possibly nearer than many realize."

The announcement of the dividends upon Westinghouse Airbrake and Union Switch and Signal were made yesterday. The Airbrake dividend is the regular 2½, quarterly, with the 2½ extra. The books will close from October 1 to 11. The Switch and Signal dividend is 2½ on the preferred and 2 on the common stock. It is payable October 1. Books will close October 1.

Peoples Pipage has declared a dividend of 2 per cent. Books will be closed from October 15 to 20.

The Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company will pay October 1 a dividend of 1¼ per cent. Books will be closed after September 20.

The Safe Deposit and Trust transfer books will be closed from September 24 to October 1 in preparation for the payment of the dividend.

For Tonopah extension 127 was bid in Pittsburgh and sales were made at 126 in New York. There were bids of 88½ for Union Natural Gas. A block of 30 shares changed hands at 88¼ and another of three shares at 90. Just after the close of the bank call a sale of 10 shares of Colonial Trust was made at 350, an advance of 10.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Market closes firm, after a day of irregular changes.

Crucible Steel preferred loses ¾, closing at 39.

Manufacturers Light and Heat advances to 36½, closing at the highest.

Total sales for the day were 2,873 shares of stock.

Bank exchanges were $7,033,341.22, a decline of nearly $1,800,000 from the same day last year.

IN WALL STREET.

New York stocks recover in good shape from Tuesday's decline.

Forecasted frosts again fail to materialize and bear strength vanishes.

Union Pacific's activity gives rise to many rumors of competitive buying.

Pennsylvania and Steel preferred are higher.

Bank reserves continue to be depleted by interior demands.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

September promises to be the business month of the year in the volume of output from Creede camp, says the Candle. Several of the big mines have completed preparations for increased shipments, and others to ship from additional sources. In the New York, Superintendent Leas has opened up a big ore chute that previously was not known to exist, and by his system of development is proving the vein to be in the New York and Chance as wonderful as in the Commodore.

The Cripple Creek Star jubilates over present conditions in this manner: "A payday has come, one of the old-time paydays when every man drew his full pay and kept it. More than 5,000 men are at work in the mines. They are digging out more ore daily than has been the case in over a year. They are earning more money. Some of the merchants have more business than they can handle, consequently are engaging more clerks. May these happy conditions continue."

Ore shipments from the Le Roi at Rossland, B. C., have been increased. Up to a fortnight ago the output had been maintained for several months at about 200 tons a day, since when the tonnage was raised to 14 cars, or 300 tons daily. Commencing today two cars additional will be shipped daily, and this will be further enhanced in the immediate future to 18 cars, or 450 tons daily.

The output from the mines and mills of Park City for the past week has been as follows, in pounds:

Ontario	33,000
American Flag	53,000
Daly-West	2,640,000
Kearns-Keith	213,000
Silver King	1,379,840
Total	4,321,840

Seven sets of lessees are operating on the Prince Albert estate situated on the southeastern slope of Beacon hill at Victor, Col., and all have ore. Two other operators have been granted a prospector's license. If their investigations are satisfactory they will be presented with a lease under the usual terms. While none of the operators have ore of exceptional quality most of them are extracting enough of ordinary grade to pay operating expenses and to contribute something to the Prince Albert treasury. On the whole conditions on the property are promising. Arrangements will soon be completed to deepen the shaft. An immediate addition of 200 feet is contemplated. This will open the ground to a depth of 450 feet.

George Batten, who has for years owned a ground of five claims 90 miles west of Caliente and has prospected from British Columbia to Mexico since going to Nevada in 1868, has taken to Caliente samples of the richest silver ore ever mined in Southern Nevada. He says he has a two to six-foot ledge of "black jack" and native silver, samples from which go as high as 28,000 ounces to the ton in silver. The lowest assay taken from his claims was 129 ounces a ton in silver. The claims lies in Timpinto mining distrct, Lncoln county, about 50 miles north of the San Pedro railroad.

The Regl, located on Battle mountain, which adjoins the famous Portland mine, and which for some years has been looked upon as practically a played-out property, has once more come to the front, and now has all the earmarks of a good producer.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Tin broke sharply in the London market, spot there closing at £126 15s and futures at £127 5s. Locally the market was also lower, closing quiet at $27 62½@27 85. Copper was a little lower at £58 2s 6d for both spot and futures in the London market, but locally it remained unchanged and firm, lake being quoted at $12 75@13 00, electrolytic at $12 75@12 87½ and casting at $12 50@12 62½. Lead advanced slightly in London, closing at £11 17s pd, but remained unchanged at $4 20@4 30 in the local market. Spelter was unchanged at £22 10s in London and at $5 10@5 20 in the local market. Iron closed at 50s 3d in Glasgow and at 43s 1½d in Middlesboro. Locally iron was unchanged; No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $13 75@14 25, No. 2 foundry northern at $13 25@13 75, No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft at $13 50@13 75.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
Allouez	11⅝	11⅝	11½	11½
Adventure	2½	2½	2½	2⅜
Arcadian	....	....	....	1⅛
Atlantic	....	....	....	12½
Bingham	....	....	....	26¼
Calumet & Arizona	95½	97	96½	95
Calumet & Hecla	510	510	510	510
Centennial	....	....	....	26½
Calumet & Pgh	*35	†39	....	35
Elm River	....	....	....	2⅛
Franklin	8½	8½	8½	8
Junction	35	38	35	35
Greene	....	....	....	15¾
L. Sup. & Pgh. Dev.	42	42½	42	42½
Mass	....	....	....	4⅝
Mohawk	....	....	....	45
Michigan	....	....	....	6¼
Osceola	....	....	....	77½
Old Dominion	*14½	†15	....	15
Parrot	....	....	....	23½
Phoenix	2¼	2¼	2¼	2
Pgh. & Duluth	55	55	55	54
Quincy	92	92	92	†93
Range Consol	56¾	57⅝	56¾	57¼
Swift	....	....	....	101¼
Tamarack	116	116	116	†116
United Fruit	106	106	106	105½
Utah	39⅜	39⅜	39¼	40
U. S. Mining	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞	20
Victoria	4¼	4¼	3⅞	4⅛
Wolverine	87	87	87	87
Winona	....	....	....	8½

*Bid. †Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.20	Little Chief	.05
Alice	.45	Ontario	3.50
Breece	.13	Ophir	2.20
Brunswick Con.	.10	Phoenix	.15
Comstock Tunnel	.10	Potosi	.09
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.05	*Savage	.26
Horn Silver	1.55	Sierra Nevada	.28
Iron Silver	1.75	Small Hopes	.25
Leadville Con.	.02	Standard	2.00

*Assessment paid.

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Money was in fair supply and in moderate demand in the market today to meet a call for $3,750,000, the last issue of local loans stock, and in connection with the quarter end. Discounts hardened in view of the forthcoming treasury bills and because the continental demand for gold is likely to continue until the month-turn. Prices on the stock exchange were generally easier on profit-taking. Consols were dull and rather neglected. Americans opened weak, partly recovered, became inactive and were more buoyant and active during the last hour. They closed firm. Japanese were irregular. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 96½. Consols for money, 88 7-16; consols for account, 88½; money, 1¼@1½ per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 5-16 per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2⅜ per cent.

PARIS, Sept. 21.—The tone on the bourse today was heavy at first, but subsequently grew better and the market closed firm. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 93.10 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 501. Three per cent rentes, 98 francs 17½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 21¼ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, Sept. 21.—The trading on the boerse today was featureless. Exchange on London, 20 marks 41 pfennigs for checks. Discount rates, short bills, 2½ per cent; three months bills, 3¼ per cent.

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

COMPLETE RECORD OF NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.
40400	Atch., T. & S. F.	80¾	82	80¼	82
500	Do preferred	98½	98½	98¼	98¼
300	Amer. Cot. Oil	33	33¼	32½	32½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
	Am. Sugar Refg.	130	130½	129⅝	130¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	132
2600	Amer. Loco.	26	26⅛	25½	26
400	*Do preferred	96¼	96¼	95⅝	95½
1000	Amer. Car. Foun.	22⅛	22¼	22⅛	22⅛
	Do preferred	....	....	....	80½
	American Can	....	....	....	4⅞
	Do preferred	....	....	....	45¼
27200	Amal. Copper	57¼	58⅜	57¼	58⅛
1400	Anaconda Cop.	95½	95½	93¼	94½
2900	Am. Sm. & Refg.	64½	65	64⅝	64½
100	Do preferred	107	107	107	107
2900	Amer. Ice	7	7⅜	7	7⅝
6500	Do preferred	26¾	28⅝	26½	28⅝
4000	Balti. & Ohio	88	88⅞	88	88⅝
100	Do preferred	....	....	....	94
3600	Brook. Rp. Tr.	54⅝	55	54¼	54½
	Canada South.	....	....	....	67¾
1400	Canadian Pacific.	127¼	127⅝	127¼	127⅝
1600	Chi. & G. West.	16	16⅜	15¾	16
1000	Con. Gas	203½	204	202¾	203¼
	C. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	....	79
3500	Chesa. & Ohio	41⅜	42½	41¾	42¼
100	Chicago & Alton.	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	39⅜
	Do preferred	....	....	....	84
	Chicago & N'wn.	....	....	....	186
600	Colo. F. & I.	33⅜	34	33¼	34
100	Corn Product	14¼	14¼	14¼	14
100	Do preferred	70½	70½	70½	70½
5800	Colo. Southern	18½	19¾	18½	19¼
500	Do 1st pfd.	50¼	50¾	50¼	50
1300	Do 2nd pfd.	27	27¾	27	27¼
	Del., L. & West.	....	....	....	280
800	Dela. & Hudson.	166	166½	166	166
12700	Erie	30¼	30¾	30	30½
900	Do 1st pfd.	66	66½	66	66½
800	Do 2nd pfd.	44	44¾	43⅞	44⅝
700	Gen. Electric	168⅝	169	168¾	168½
100	Hock. Valley	79	79	79	79
	Do preferred	....	....	....	22½
900	Illinois Central	138	138½	138	138
100	Iowa Central	....	....	....	22½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	42½
	Interna. Paper	....	....	....	16½
200	Do preferred	74½	74½	74½	74
	L. E. & West.	33	34	33	33
	Do preferred	....	....	....	87½
3500	Louis. & Nash.	121½	122¾	121½	122½
1000	Manhattan	153	153½	153	153½
13100	Missouri Pacific	95¾	97⅛	95¾	97
600	M., K. & T.	23½	24	23½	24⅛
300	Do preferred	46	47	46	47
5000	Metropolitan	121¾	122⅝	121	121
3900	Do Securities	80¼	81⅝	80¼	80¾
1400	Mexican Central	13⅛	13⅜	13⅛	13¼
1000	National Lead	23½	23¾	23⅜	23¾
	Do preferred	....	....	....	95
	National Biscuit	....	....	....	47½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	108
4000	N. Y. Central	128⅛	126½	125⅛	126¾
	N. J. Central	....	....	....	177
2300	N. Y., O. & W.	32¾	33⅛	32¾	33
1500	Norfolk & W.	67¾	68½	67¾	68¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
200	N. Am. Co.	92	92½	92	92¼
700	Peoples Gas	101⅝	102¼	101½	102
1700	Pacific Mail	32¾	33½	32¾	33¼
100	Pullman	217¾	217¾	217¾	215
100	Pr. Steel Car	32½	32½	32½	32¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	78
90200	Penna. R. R.	130	131¼	129⅝	131⅛
	P., C., C. & S. L.	....	....	....	70½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	101
	Railway Spgs.	23	23	22⅝	22½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	78
44000	Reading	65¾	66⅝	65¼	66⅛
	Do 1st pfd.	....	....	....	85
100	Do 2d pfd.	76	76	76	75¾
13600	Rock Island	28¾	27¼	26½	27⅛
200	Do preferred	71	71	71	70½
200	Republic Iron	8½	8½	8½	8¼
400	Do preferred	43⅛	43½	43⅛	43½
43800	Southern Pacific	55¼	56¼	55⅛	56⅛
11800	Southern Railway	32⅜	32⅞	32¼	32⅝
1000	Do preferred	95⅛	95⅝	95	95¼
21000	St. Paul	156¼	157⅛	158¼	157
	Do preferred	....	....	....	183
200	St. L. & S'w.	21	21	21	20½
600	Do preferred	43½	44¼	43½	44
2000	Tenn. C. & I.	46¼	46½	46	46½
2200	Tex. & Pacific	30½	31⅛	30½	30⅞
700	Tol., St. L. & W.	31½	31¾	30¼	30¼
800	Do preferred	51	51½	50½	50½
26000	U. S. Steel	16¼	16⅞	16⅛	16⅝
69500	Do preferred	66	67⅝	66	67⅝
	Do 2s 5% bds.	80⅝	81	80⅝	81
121600	Union Pacific	98¾	101	98½	100⅝
500	Do preferred	93	93	93	93¼
200	U. S. Rubber	19⅞	20	19⅞	18¾
100	Do preferred	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝	74
8800	U. S. Leather	9⅝	10	9⅝	9¾
100	Do preferred	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾
700	Wabash	20⅜	20¾	20⅜	20⅝
1400	Do preferred	40⅝	41	40⅝	41
300	W. U. Telegraph	90¼	90½	90¼	90½
100	W. & Lake Erie	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼
	Do 1st pfd.	44	44	43¾	44
	Do 2d pfd.	....	....	....	24
300	Wis. Central	19¼	19¼	19¼	19
200	Do preferred	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜	43
1200	West. Elec. 2 pf.	161	161	160	161
800	M., S.P. & S.S.M.	72¾	73	72¾	72¾
	Do preferred	....	....	....	129¾
	Va. Car. C. Co.	35	35	34¾	34¾
	Do preferred	107⅞	108⅜	107⅞	108

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low.	Close Bid.
	D. & Rio Grande.	27½	28⅛	27½	28⅛
	Do preferred	81½	81⅝	81	80⅝

*Ex-dividend.

INACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low.	Close Bid.
100	Am. G. & T.	....	5¼	5¼	5⅛
100	Am. Malt pfd	....	20	20	20
100	Am. Snuff pfd	....	97½	97½	97½
120	Am. Tob. pfd	....	143	143	143
100	Ann Arbor pfd	....	64	64	64
100	Chi. Un. Trac	....	7½	7½	7½
100	Corn Product	....	14¼	14¼	14¼
100	Do preferred	....	70½	70½	70½
500	Conti. Tob. pfd	....	123¾	123	122⅝
2000	Den. & Rio G.	....	28⅜	27½	28⅛
500	Do preferred	....	81⅜	81	81
100	Detroit United	....	66	66	66
670	Detroit So. R'y	....	4	3½	3⅞
300	Do preferred	....	7	7	7
100	D M & Ft D	....	24¼	24¼	24¼
100	Gen. El. pfd	....	95	95	94¾
100	Iowa Central	....	23	23	23
100	Inter. Pump	....	30¼	30¼	30¼
100	Do preferred	....	77	77	76½
100	Kanawha & M	....	33¼	33¼	33¼
900	K. C. & So. pfd	....	45¾	44⅞	45¼
800	M St P & S S M	....	73	72⅝	72⅝
3800	Met. Subs	....	81⅝	80¾	80⅞
600	M., K. & T. com	....	24	23½	24
300	Rubber Goods	....	19¼	19¼	19¼
200	Stand. R. & T.	....	1½	1½	1¼
200	Twin City	....	97½	97	97
300	Vir. Car Chem	....	35	34¾	34¾
730	Do preferred	....	108⅜	107⅞	108
1200	West El 2nd pfd	....	161	160	161

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104½	Man. con. gold 4s.	106½
Do coupon	105	Mexican Cen. 4s	65½
U. S. 3s, reg.	105¼	Do 1st inc.	16
Do coupon	105¼	M. & St. L. 4s	95½
U. S. new 4s, reg.	131⅝	M. K. & T. 4s	100
Do coupon	131⅝	Do 2nds	79⅜
U. S. old 4s, reg.	106⅝	Nat. Mexico c. 4s.	76½
Do coupon	107⅝	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s.	100⅜
Atchison gen. 4s.	103⅝	N. J. C. gen. 5s.	135⅝
Do adjt. 4s	95	North. Pacific 4s.	104½
Atl. Coast L. 4s.	97½	Do 3s	74
Balt. & Ohio 4s.	103⅝	N. & W. con. 4s.	101½
Do 3½s	95¼	Ore. S. L. 4s & P.	96⅝
Cen. Georgia 5s.	110½	Penna. conv. 3½s.	99½
Do 1st inc.	86½	Reading gen. 4s.	100½
Ches. & Ohio 4½s.	105	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s.	117⅝
C. & Alton 3½s.	79⅝	St. L. & S.F. fg. 4s.	86
C. B. & Q. n. 4s.	96½	St. L. S'w 1sts.	98
C.M. & St.P. g. 4s.	109	Seab'd Air L. 4s.	82½
C. & N'w con. 7s.	128⅝	South. Pacific 4s.	93⅝
C. R. I. & P. 4s.	75	Southern Ry. 5s.	117
Do col. 5s.	86⅝	Tex. & Pac. 1sts.	119⅝
C.C.C. & St. L. g. 4s.	101⅜	T. St. L. & W. 4s.	100⅜
*Chicago Ter. 4s.	76	Union Pacific 4s.	104⅝
Cons. Tobacco 4s.	72⅝	Do conv. 4s.	105
Col. & South. 4s.	86	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.	81
D. & R. G. 4s.	100½	Wabash 1sts	117½
Erie prior lien 4s.	98½	Do Deb. B	64
Do gen. 4s.	87⅛	W. & L. E. 4s.	90½
Ft.W. & D.C. 1st.	109	Wisconsin Cen. 4s.	90½
Hock. Val. 4½s.	108¼	Col. Fuel conv. 5s.	75
L. & N. unif. 4s.	100½		

*Offered.

Total sales (par value), $3,940,000.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Elevator	⅛	Manhattan Trans.	4¼
American Chicle	98	Mon. & Bos. Cop.	1
Do preferred	86	New Ams. Gas 5s.	108
Amer. Tin Can	4⅛	New Orleans Ry.	9¼
Do preferred	45¼	Do preferred	29
Bay State Gas	⅛	Do bonds	75½
British Columbia	4	N. Y. Transit	6
Brooklyn Ferry	4	North. Securities	103½
Central Foundry	1	Otis Elevator	33½
Do preferred	9	Do preferred	95
Electric Boat	37	Roy. Bak. P. pfd.	104½
Do preferred	70	Seab'd Air Line	14¼
Electric Vehicle	16¼	Do preferred	23⅝
Do preferred	19½	Standard Oil	640
Greene Con. Cop.	1⅝	Tennessee Copper	29
Havana Com.	27	Trust of America	470
Do preferred	38	Union Copper	⅛
Int. Mer. Mar.	5⅝	Tonapah	7½
Do preferred	16	White Knob	3½
International Salt	16	Interboro	145½
Do 5s	55		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	81⅛	American Sugar	129⅞
Do preferred	98½	Do preferred	132⅝
Boston & Albany	249	Am. Tel. & Tel.	139
Boston & Maine	163	American Woolen	13½
Boston Elevated	153	Do preferred	82½
Fitchburg pfd.	137½	Dom. Iron & Stl.	11
Mexican Central	13¼	Mass. Gas	41⅞
N. Y. N. H. & H.	191	United Fruit	105½
Pere Marquette	74	United Shoe Mach.	52⅝
Union Pacific	100⅝	Do preferred	30⅜
Am. Argc. Chem.	15	U. S. Steel	16⅝
Do preferred	81	Do preferred	67⅛
Am. Pneu. Tube	4⅝		

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Railways	48	Penna. Steel	42
Cambria Steel	22	Do preferred	79
Cambria Iron	46½	Phila. Co.	41
Cons. Trac. N. J.	71½	Do preferred	44⅞
Cons. Lake Sup'r.	6⅝	Phila. Traction	97¼
Do preferred	12½	Phila. Elec. Co.	7
Elec. Stor. com.	64	Tidewater Steel	⅛
Elec. Co. Amer.	9 13-16	Do preferred	3⅜
Lehigh Valley	41	Union Traction	53½
Marsden	3 5-16	United Gas Impt.	95½
Penna. R. R.	65⅝	Welsbach Co.	20

STOCKS RECOVERED UNDER ACTIVE BUYING

Manipulation Was Resumed in Pennsylvania and United States Steel.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The Herald this (Thursday) morning says:

Stocks underwent moderate recovery yesterday, under a continuance of an active buying movement in Union Pacific and the resumption of manipulation in Pennsylvania and United States Steel. The volume of business decreased nearly 40 per cent from the total of the preceding day and from the average of last week. Business was less well distributed also, and activity was concentrated upon relatively few issues. Nearly 20 per cent of the aggregate was made up of sales of Union Pacific, while this issue, United States Steel stocks and Pennsylvania made up about half the day's trading. It was clearly apparent that the break of Tuesday, taken with some of the rumors, quarrels and competitive buying in the market, rendered the leading element cautious. Net recoveries, as a rule, were limited to small fractions.

No change was reported in the general character of the trading, which was confined to the professional element. Many brokers expressed the opinion that the technical position of the market was improved by the sharp break of Tuesday, and that the elimination of weak holders, the forcing of stop orders and the toppling over of some "pyramided" accounts had strengthened the general situation.

News developments were of a generally unimportant character, and these excited no appreciable influence on prices. The weather reports were better and cereals, after an irregular movement, eased off, which gave some encouragement. President James J. Hill came out with a revised estimate on the extent of the disaster to the wheat crop, reducing his figures from 540,000,000 bushels to 550,000,000 bushels for milling purposes, and 510,000,000 in all. Railway traffic returns were of the same mixed variety as of recent days.

London was clearly disturbed by the Union Pacific rumors, and at times London quotations ranged considerably above the parity, while London brokers queried New York if anything like a corner was possible in Union Pacific. The sharp advance in Union Pacific convertible bonds was on London buying, that market seeking to protect itself against any repetition of the Northern Pacific demonstration.

TWO DEAD; ONE DYING.

Three Men Tapped a Keg of Horse Liniment While on a Spree and Drank the Mixture.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Two men dead and a third writhing in agony on a cot at the Bridgeport hospital is the record made by a big keg of horse liniment compounded principally of wood alcohol and witch hazel, kept for rubbing down horses at George F. Cook's livery stable here. The two dead men, hostlers, are James Murphy and Robert Nevins. The third, who is thought to be fatally poisoned, is the stable veterinary, Dr. Frank T. Wade.

The three men had been to Manassas, Va., to take care of the horses furnished the officers of the Third regiment, Connecticut National Guard. Upon their return they started on a spree. Sunday, having no liquor, they tapped the liniment keg, Dr. Wade knowing the mixture contained a large percentage of alcohol. All three drank several tumblers full of the mixture.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Butter firm, unchanged; receipts, 9,083 packages. Cheese firm, unchanged; receipts, 9,472 packages. Eggs quiet and unchanged; receipts, 12,152 cases.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—Butter firm, good demand; extra western creamery, 20c; extra nearby prints, 21c. Eggs steady, fair demand; nearby firsts, 21@21½c at mark; western firsts, 22c at mark. Cheese firm, fair demand. New York full creams, fancy, 9½c; do, choice, 9@9¼c; do, fair to good, 8¼@8¾c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 14@19c; dairies, 12½@16c. Eggs firm at mark, cases included, 14@17½c; firsts, 18c; prime firsts, 20c; extra, 22c. Cheese firm, 8¼@9c.

THE THREE RIVERS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 21.—The stage of the river at 6 o'clock this evening marked 4.5 feet and falling. Weather partly clear and cloudy. Much cooler. Today's packet departures were: Ben Hur for Madison, Indiana for Louisville. Two of the Mosquito fleet arrived today and will accommodate the up-river trade during the low water. Capt. Parson of Point Pleasant came here to look after the interests of the little craft. Capt. G. W. Thies, secretary and general manager of the Monongahela Consolidated Coal and Mining Company was a visitor on the river front today. The board of directors of the Consolidated Boat Store Company held their annual dinner at the Queen City club, this city, today. It was a big affair. Boat owners and operators here are enthusiastic over the prospect of the early beginning of work on the dam, which has been designed by the government engineer for Cullems riffle. This improvement, it is considered, will work wonders for the local harbor and will be of great benefit to the coal operators in particular.

GALLIPOLIS—River 2 feet 5 inches and falling. Clear and cold.

HUNTINGTON—River 3 feet 6 inches and fallin. Layneville in place of Chevilier Guandotte on Carrie Brown's time.

PARKERSBURG—River 2 feet and falling. Clear and cool. The Bedford left at 4 a. m. for Wheeling. The Valley Belle arrived from Middleport and went on the docks today.

OIL CITY—River 3 inches and stationary. Fair and cool.

GREENSBORO—River 5 feet 11 inches and falling. Fair and cool. Woodward down Thursday and Columbia up.

WARREN—River 1 foot. Fair and cool.

MORGANTOWN—River 5 feet 9 inches and stationary. Fair and cool.

POINT PLEASANT—River 1 foot 3 inches and falling. Clear and windy.

At 9 o'clocy last evening the marks on the gauge at the Davis island dam indicated a stage of 2.1 feet and the river was stationary.

IMPROVEMENTS ARE WANTED.

Harbor No. 25 Is Anxious for a Bettering of Conditions While Rivers Are Low.

Pilots are trying to secure improvements for the Sewickley trap, in the Ohio, above Sewickley. This place has been one of trouble to river interests for months, and receding waters have developed what caused the difficulty. Huge rocks lie in the bottom of the channel and some of them weight as much as several tons. Pilots want the obstructions removed with a crane boat. It has been dangerous for boats to go through there for years. The rocks blocking the channel make the current strong and this is what drives boats against the bank. The matter will be taken up at the next meeting of Harbor No. 25, along with other badly needed improvements of that kind which the pilots say can be made easily now when the water is so low.

Work on the new dam No. 3 at Glen Osborn is going along rapidly. The cribbing on the Glen Osborn side has been finished and the work of concreting has been started.

The I. C. Woodward was in and out yesterday with her usual good trips. Passenger business is still good on this line, despite the cool weather.

Capt. Oscar Barrett of the Barrett Towing Company of Cincinnati is a visitor here among rivermen.

The Wool Market.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today amounted to 10,901 bales. Competition was spirited. Superior merinos occasionally sold at an advance of 5 per cent owing to a fair demand from Americans. Good medium merinos and coarse crossbreds were bought freely by home and German buyers. Scoureds were in good demand. Locks and pieces were firm. Half bred lambs were in strong request. Cape of Good Hope and Natal grades were in active demand. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 1, the sales in detail: New South Wales, 1,200 bales, scoured, 10½d@1s 9d; greasy, 7¼d@1s 2d. Queensland, 400 bales, scoured, 1s 2d @1s 9½d; greasy, 5¾d@1s. Victoria, 400 bales, scoured, 11½d@1s 9d; greasy, 8d@1s 1½d. South Australia, 200 bales, greasy, 7½@10½d. West Australia, 100 bales, greasy, 5¾@9d. New Zealand, 6,200 bales, scoured, 7¾d@1s 9½d; greasy, 5¼d@1s 2d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 1,300 bales, scoured, 8d@1s 10d, greasy, 5½@9½d. Chile, 400 bales, greasy, 5@6d. Spain, 400 bales, greasy, 4¾@5¾d.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Cotton futures closed barely steady. September, 10.98c; October, 10.77c; November, 10.82c; December, 10.87c; January, 10.90c; February, 10.94c; March, 10.98c; April, 11.01c; May, 11.05c. Spot closed quiet, 20 points advance; middling uplands, 11.30c; middling gulf, 11.55c; sales, 216 bales.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is from 5 to 6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$7,033,341 27	$1,174,914 17
Same day last week.	6,289,327 64	1,241,056 70
Same day last year.	8,826,814 35	1,467,920 57

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $75,881. Of this amount $10,973 had been deposited at San Francisco and $65,908 at Seattle. Total thus paid since Friday, $524,291, against $350,734 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,438,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,672,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $234,000 paid by banks to government. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $1,055,000, against $4,605,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $351,000 paid by government to banks a year ago. Included in the foregoing summary is $350,000 deposited by banks with the sub-treasury for payment at interior points. Total thus deposited since Friday, $1,550,000, against $1,500,000 for the same period a week ago.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Money on call firm; highest, 2 per cent; lowest, 1¾ per cent. Ruling rate, 2 per cent. Last loan, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1½ per cent. Offered at 1¾ per cent. Time loans firm; 60 days, 3 per cent; 90 days, 3¼@3½ per cent; six months, 3¾@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 86.10@4 86.15 for demand and at $4 83.80@4 83.85 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, $4 84½@4 85 and $4 87@4 87½. Commercial bills, $4 83@4 84. Bar silver, 57⅛c. Mexican dollars, 45⅜c. Government bonds firm. Railroad bonds irregular.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the divisions of redemption shows: Available cash balance, $148,751,677; gold, $80,670,308; silver, $21,295,945; United States notes, $11,298,195; treasury notes of 1890, $83,783; national bank notes, $16,974,515; total receipts this day, $1,878,446; total receipts this month, $31,451,095; total receipts this year, $123,170,874; total expenditures this day, $1,750,000; total expenditures this month, $29,240,000; total expenditures this year, $144,880,710; deposits in national banks, $120,715,466.

Fined for Being a Scold.

UNIONTOWN, Sept. 20.—(Special.)—Carrie Eicher, convicted on the charge of being a common scold, appeared today for sentence and was allowed to go on payments of the costs $99.21. Her attorney said that she had moved away from the neighborhood.

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CLAIM NEW PRICE LISTS WILL HOLD

Steel Manufacturers Believe Conditions Are Ripe for a Large Demand.

GENERAL NEWS OF THE TRADE

The settlement of the prices of steel billets, sheet bars and steel bars on Monday, and the meeting of the Bar Iron association today at New York to fix prices in that line are the features this week of the iron and steel market. The conditions noted last week still prevail. The market is a waiting one and while there should be a steady improvement it is not coming with a rush. There is one factor that would create a rush, namely, a marked increase in the prices of pig iron. If iron should go to $15 00 there would be a scamper among consumers of steel to cover their demands for several months to come at the prices now established.

There is every assurance among the manufacturers that the new price lists will be observed in an effective manner and will not turn out to be the farces that some of the former ones proved. The claim is made that in all lines prices have been adjusted to the comparatively depressed state of the market, and that there is no reason for a request for further cuts.

The production of pig iron continues steadily increasing. The Carnegie Steel Company's increase in a month is said to be at the rate of 100,000 tons annually. All but one of the Jones & Laughlin stacks are in blast. The Valley furnaces generally are in operation.

The demands upon the H. C. Frick Coke Company by the Steel Corporation have become so large that that concern has ordered every available oven in the coke region fired and is taking considerable amounts of coke from some independents. The coke region is beginning to feel a car shortage and it has been troubled recently also with a water shortage and a lack of sufficient labor.

The announcement of the letting of a contract by the Republic Iron and Steel Company for a structural mill at its Brown-Bonnell plant at Youngstown is taken as an indication of the intention of the company to increase its finishing mill capacity up to its entire steel productive capacity. There is talk also of a tube plant and other mills in the Republic's Youngstown works, but nothing official can be learned concerning these plans.

Current Quotations.

Below are given current quotations on various lines of iron and steel:

Bessemer pig iron—A ton, $12, valley furnaces.

No. 2 foundry iron—A ton, $12 65@12 75, Pittsburgh.

Basic—A ton, $11 00@11 25, furnaces.

Billets—Bessemer and open hearth, association price $19 50, for small billets and sheet bars, $21 50; extras for carbon same as heretofore.

Much bar—A ton, $24, Pittsburgh.

Steel rails, etc.—Standard sections, 50 pounds and over, in lots of 500 tons and over, $28; carlots and less than 500 tons, $20; less than carlots, $33; 16 to 40 pounds, $18@20; hexagon nuts, $2 40@2 45; fish plates, $1 60 on orders accompanying large rail contracts, otherwise $1 80@1 83 is asked.

Structural shapes, association prices—Beams and channels, 3 to 15 inches, $1 40 the 100 pounds; 18 to 24 inches, $1 50; tees, $1 85; zees, $1 40; angles from 6 to 16 pounds, $1 40; universal plates, $1 30.

Steel plates—Tank plates, $1 50, Pittsburgh, the 100 pounds; flange and boiler, $1 40; locomotive fireboxes, $1 90.

Bars—Iron, unsettled; open hearth, $1 35, base; Bessemer, $1 30, base. All subject to half extras as per standard steel card.

Wire—Wire nails, $1 60, Pittsburgh; plain wire, $1 45; galvanized barb wire, $2 05.

Merchant steel—In carlots, Chicago delivery, spring steel, $1 75 the 100 pounds; smooth finish machinery steel, $2 25 and upward, according to quality; toe calk, $1 90; ordinary grades of tool steel, 6@8c; specials, 12c and upward; cold-rolled shafting in carlots, 52, and in less than carlots, 47 per cent discount from list.

Specifications for less than 2,000 pounds of a size, but not less than 1,000, are subject to an extra charge of 10 cents the 100 pounds; less than 1,000 pounds to an extra charge of 30 cents the 100 pounds.

Tin plate—10-pound coke plates, $3 30 a box at nearest mill, Pittsburgh delivery.

Sheet—Black sheets, in 500-pound lots and over, range from $2 50 on No. 30 to $1 68 on No. 8; galvanized sheets range from $2 20 on Nos. 10 and 17 to $3 90 on No. 30. No. 28 black sheets are selling at $2 10@2 15.

Merchant pipe—The latest list of discounts to consumers, issued by the largest producer covering carload lots, f. o. b. Pittsburgh, follow:

	Steel. Blk.	Steel. Galvd.	Iron. Blk.	Iron. Galvd.
⅛ and ¼	71	55	60	53
⅜ and ½	75	63	73	61
¾ to 6	79	69	77½	67½
7 to 12	74	59	72½	57
EXTRA STRONG PIPE.				
⅛ to ⅜	64	52	62	50
½ to 4	71	59	69	57
4½ to 8	67	55	65	53

Ferro-manganese—Domestic ferro, 80 per cent, $41 00@41 50, delivered at buyers' mill in carload lots east of the Mississippi river.

Spelter—Prime western grades, $48 75 a ton, Pittsburgh, in carload lots.

Skelp—Grooved iron, $1 40 the 100 pounds; sheared, $1 47½; grooved steel, $1 35; sheared, $1 37½.

Old materials—Heavy melting stock, $11 00@11 50; No. 1 wrought scrap, $10 00@10 50; old steel rails, $13 00@13 25; cast iron borings, $5 25@5 75, turnings, $7 50@8 00.

The Hardware Market.

The hardware business is showing considerable activity in the last few days, the general good feeling that has seemed to come in all lines of business pervading and permeating the hardware trade to the greatest extent possible. Orders are coming in for much better quantities and much more freely, both from the trade at large and through salesmen on the road. Judging from the urgency of some of the orders the retailers are much in need of goods. A very considerable movement of nails and wire continues, the trade evidently appreciating that these goods are very cheap and possibly fearing there may be some slight advance, and for this reason are buying freely. In addition to buying freely they are buying frequently, so that the indications show a good business is being done. Housefurnishing goods, builders' hardware, tools, paints, window glass, bicycle goods, guns and ammunition continue to move out freely. Prices in all lines continue firm, there being no note of any changes. The Bindley Hardware Company furnishes the following quotations:

Columbia pocket knives, discount 35 per cent; Albion hatchets, discount 40 per cent; Bindley canal shovels, $6 50 a doz.; Great Western files, discount 70 and 10 per cent; sheet iron, base No. 26, $2 35 a 100 pounds; galvanized sheet iron, discount 70 and 10 per cent; sash weights, a ton, $27; window glass, L. C. L., 90 and 15 from list October 1, 1903, on first three brackets; all brackets above, 90 and 5 per cent; Albion sewing machines, discount 25 per cent; blue and white enameled ware, 60 and 10 per cent; Albion gas stoves, 40 per cent; Albion lanterns, 40 per cent; fire shovels and pokers, 40 and 10 per cent.

STEEL BILLET REDUCTION IS NOT VERY IMPORTANT

Does Not Justify the Expectation That Prices in Finished Lines Will Be Lower.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The Iron Age tomorrow will say:

The action of the Billet association has attracted a good deal of attention, but is really not very important, since the tonnage of steel billets sold in the open market is insignificant when compared with the days before the consolidations. Then, too, the great bulk of what crude steel is sold is delivered on old sliding scales based on the price of Bessemer pig iron. Therefore, the open reductions in prices of billets and sheet bars do not materially change the situation. It doesn't justify the expectations evidently indulged in by some consumers that prices in certain finished lines must be correspondingly reduced.

The lower steel prices give a possible chance to compete to a few small rolling mills whose business has not been important enough to secure to them sliding scale contracts. It makes it somewhat harder, too, for the iron puddling mills, who cannot correspondingly cut down their selling prices for muck bars.

The reduction in the price of steel bars and of merchant steel is not regarded as of much importance.

Business in structural material does not appear to have been stimulated to any extent by the recent lowering in association prices on shapes. In fact, some sellers note that the market is rather quieter. It is intimated, however, that quite a number of large long-time contracts with architectural concerns were closed before the official announcement was made.

The material for the third lake vessel lately ordered has not been placed, the aggregate tonnage being about 7,000 tons.

In the plate and shapes trades the principal effect of the concessions has been to bring about specifications on old contracts, but for new business consumers seem to cling to the conviction that the end of readjustments of prices has not yet come.

The trade in merchant pipe is quieter and there are again reports of slight shading. There is not much encouraging from the sheet and tin plate trades.

Some round lots of foundry iron have been placed in different parts of the country, but reports reflect a somewhat uneven market. The bulk of the business is being done by the northern furnaces, some of whom are going pretty far afield. Thus, Buffalo furnace interests have been playing quite an important role lately in New England, entering the tidewater market via the Erie canal and driving into the interior through direct rail connections.

A very considerable number of northern makers decline to sell at present prices for delivery after January 1, 1905, and in some instances are holding out for an advance.

The smaller southern producers are pushing sales somewhat, while the large companies are holding at $9 50 for No. 2 at furnace, Birmingham. In certain markets Sheffield can deliver more cheaply, which is often misconstrued as pro of $9 25 sales, Birmingham. The iron from this district is rather higher in phosphorus.

The leading Birmingham producers are continuing their fight for ridding themselves of the miners' union, and seem to be gaining headway.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.
Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1904.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady; choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs, $5 50@5 65; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 20@5 40; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $4 80@5 10; tidy, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs, $4 25@4 50; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $3 25@3 75; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $2 25@3 00; choice heifers, $3 75@4 25; common to good, $2 50@3 50; common to good fat cows, $1 50@3 50; common to good fat bulls, $2 00@3 50; good fresh cows and springers, $35 00@45 00; common to fair, $15 00@30 00.

Sheep and lambs—Supply light and market steady: prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $4 25@4 40; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs, $4 00@4 20; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $3 50@3 85; culls and common, $1 50@2 00; spring lambs, $3 50@5 90; veal calves, $7 00@7 50; heavy and thin, $3 50@4 50.

Hogs—Receipts light; 10 double-decks on sale and market active; prime heavy, $6 35@6 40; medium and heavy Yorkers, $6 40@6 50; light Yorkers, $6 20@6 40; pigs, $5 90@6 10; roughs, $4 00@5 50; stags, $3 00@4 00.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,145 head; market steady for steers; bulls slow; cows slow to 10c off; steers, $3 50@5 30; bulls, $2 25@3 75; cows, $1 25@3 25; exports, 100 head cattle, 4,000 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 2,624 head; market 25c lower; veals, $4 00@8 00; choice handy veals, $8 12½@8 25; grassers and buttermilks, $2 25@3 00; fed calves, $3 00@4 00; westerns, $4 25; dressed calves slow; city dressed veals, 8@12c a pound; choice light, 11@11½c a pound; dressed grassers and buttermilks, 4@6c a pound. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,640 head; market steady; sheep, $2 50@4 00; culls, $2 00; lambs, $4 87½@6 25; culls, $3 50@4 50; Canada lambs, $5 62½. Hogs—Receipts, 8,447 head; market firm; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $6 30@6 65; western hogs, $5 20@5 25.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000 head, including 500 head Texans and 6,000 head westerns; market steady to 10c higher; good to prime steers, $5 70@6 35; poor to medium, $3 50@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 20@4 00; cows and heifers, $1 50@4 60; canners, $1 50@2 25; bulls, $2 00@4 00; calves, $3 00@6 25; Texas fed steers, $3 50@6 05; western steers, $3 00@4 60. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000 head; market 10c lower; mixed and butchers, $5 20@6 25; good to choice heavy, $5 85@6 20; rough heavy, $5 20@5 75; light, $5 65@6 20; bulk of sales, $5 80@6 05. Sheep—Receipts, 25,000 head; sheep steady; lambs strong; good to choice wethers, $3 50@4 25; fair to choice mixed, $3 30@3 75; native lambs, $4 00@6 00.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000 head, including 600 head southerns; market for corn fed cattle, 10@15c lower; others strong; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 00@6 10; fair to good, $3 75@5 00; western fed steers, $3 75@5 50; stockers and feeders, $2 25@4 00; southern steers, $2 50@3 75; southern cows, $1 50@3 80; native cows, $1 50@3 75; native heifers, $2 50@4 75; bulls, $1 75@3 50; calves, $2 50@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; market 5c lower; closed 10c lower; tops, $6 00; bulk of sales, $5 80@5 95; heavy, $5 80@5 90; packers, $5 80@6 00; pigs and lights, $5 70@5 90. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500 head; market steady; native lambs, $4 25@5 50; native wethers, 35 5@3 90; native ewes, ern yearlings, $3 20@3 80; western sheep, $3 25@3 60; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 00.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 21.—Hogs active; select shippers, $6 25; butchers, $6 20@6 25; common, $3 75@5 50. Cattle quiet; fair to good shippers, $4 10@4 85; common, $2 00@2 50. Sheep steady at $1 00@3 40; lambs slow at $3 25@6 00.

Fruit Auction Sales.

The following deciduous fruit sales were made at auction here yesterday: Two cars California—913 crates Tokay grapes, $1 00@1 35; 34 crates Muscats grapes, $1 00@1 15; 19 crates assorted grapes, $1 15@1 55; 33 crates Cornichon grapes, $1 00@1 25; 172 boxes Bartlett pears, $1 35@2 35; 15 boxes Vicar pears, $1 65@1 75; 20 boxes B. Bosc pears, $1 55; 273 boxes Salway peaches, 55c; 52 boxes Picquett peaches, 55c; 85 boxes strawberry cling peaches, 49@50c; 11 boxes strawberry free peaches, 75c; 17 boxes Wilcox peaches, 60c; 49 boxes Rafael peaches, 70@80c; 8 crates Gros prunes, $1 60; 54 crates French prunes, 35@40c; 15 crates German prunes, 55c. One car Idaho fruit—800 crates Italian prunes, 70@80c; 34 boxes F. Beauty pears, $1 60; 103 boxes Clairgeau pears, 90c@$1 50.

JAM AT PRODUCE YARDS AND MARKET IS QUIET

Flour Is Unsettled—Rye Is Being Bought on High Market.

The Pittsburgh produce yards were crowded so badly yesterday that old side tracks had to be pressed into service. Fruits and vegetables of all kinds were here in such heavy supply that the market was paralyzed. To add to the congested conditions the demand in this line is not very good at present and dealers were really discouraged. Less business was done in the yards and in Liberty avenue yesterday than in any one day this season. Plums are in great supply owing to the abnormal crop, and prices are away down. Preservers have bought heavily and in some cases even for next season. The household demand has been well supplied and from this time on it will be hard to dispose of the stock at anything like a profit. Peaches are also coming in rapidly. Bartlett pears seem to be wanted. There are over 70 cars of potatoes, about 20 cars of bananas and about 50 cars of cantaloupes in the yards. The cantaloupes are holding on well and will be on the market for about two weeks yet. Cranberries are beginning to sell in small quantities.

Cheese and butter continue firm and eggs are holding their own at prevailing prices. Flour is unsettled owing to the uncertainty of the wheat market, but no changes in quotations were made here yesterday. Sugar is still moving out freely with no let-up in demand. Mackeral are in good request, though a luxury this season.

Rye is being bought by distillers at the prevailing high prices. The distillers held back for some time in anticipation of lower quotations, but a shortage in the rye crop and the close relation of the rye to the wheat market, forced them to buy on the high market. Receipts of shelled corn are very moderate and the demand is only fair. Ear corn is firm. Good timothy hay is wanted, choice offering as high as $13 50. Everything points to a stronger hay market now. No. 1 clover hay is in good demand and so is wheat straw, the prices on which have been advanced 50 cents.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania—29 cars hay, 10 cars oats, 7 cars feed, 5 cars rye, 2 cars corn. Baltimore & Ohio—10 cars hay, 2 cars straw. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie—3 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car straw and hay, 1 car hay and feed.

New No. 1 timothy	$12.50@13.00
No. 2	$11.50@12.25
No. 1 clov.	$13.00@13.50
No. 1 mix.	$12.50@13.00
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat	$7.50@8.00
do wheat	$7.50@8.00
do rye	$10.50@11.00
No. 2 white oats	36@36½c
No. 3 oats	35@35¼c
No. 4 oats	34½@35c
White middlings, No. 1, ton	$26.00@26.50
No. 2 middlings	$25.00@25.50
do brown	$22.50@23.00
Bran, ton	$19.50@20.00
Wheat, No. 2 red	98@99c
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled	61@62c
High mixed	58@59c
No. 2 mixed	57@58c
No. 2 yellow ear	65@65½c
No. 2 rye, western	84@85c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper	$6.45@6.50
First clears	$4.50@4.70
Fancy winter patent	$6.25@6.30
Straig't win.	$5.60@5.65
Rye	$4.30@4.35
Graham	$4.65@4.75
Cornmeal, bbl.	$3.00@3.10
do 10-lb cotton bags	16½@17c
Rolled oats, bbl.	$4.70
do kegs	$2.50
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	13¾@15c
Santos	22½@23½c
Maracaibo	15½@16c
Peaberry	17½@18c
Golden Rio	15@15½c
Caracas	19½@20c
Standard, pkgs.	12.55@13.05c
High grade	18½@19¼c
Molasses, fancy refined	35@36c
do choice	31@34c
do open ket.	37@39c
Syrup.	
Fancy syrup	28@30c
Maple syrup, gal.	$1.00
Sug. and cane	24@25c
Prime	24@25c
½-lb cans, doz.	$1.90
¼-lb cans, doz.	$1.10
5-lb cans, doz.	$1.85
10-lb cans, doz.	$3.40
Maple, gal.	75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl	$5.20
do kegs	$2.75
Sugar, sta. gran.	5.30c
do bags	5.25c
do 2-lb carton	5.45c
do 5-lb bags	5.45c
do pow'd xxxx	5.45c
do cut loaf	5.45c
do cubes	5.55c
do coff. A.	5.00@5.15c
do No. 1 yellow	5.10c
do No. 2 yellow	4.85c
do No. 3 yellow	4.80c
Beans.	
Navy, choice H. P.	$1.70@1.80
Red kidney	$3.25@3.30
Cal. lima, lb.	4¾@5¼c
Peas, dried, bu.	$1.25@1.35
do split, lb.	4c
do marrowfat, bu.	$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg.	11¾c
do headlight	12¾c
do water white	13c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg.	12¾c
do Elaine	16c
do special brands	26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6½c
do fancy Japan	4@4½c
do choice Carolina	5¼@5½c
Salt, No. 1 bbl.	$1.00
do No. 2 extra	$1.10
do gran. rock	95c
do pocket	$1.50@1.85
do dairy	$1.30
Lentils, fancy, "6-O," lb	4½c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.10
do pie, gal.	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C.	$1.65@2.25
do Maryland	$1.45@1.65
do California, Y. F.	$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do stand.	90c@$1.00
Cherries, Cal., white	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.20@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb.	70c
do 3-lb	95c
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	88@90c
do early June	92½@95c
do soaked	55@65c
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.15@2.25
Pineapples	$1.20@2.55
Plums, California	$1.55@1.60
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.35
do standard	80@85c
do gal	$2.50@2.55
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc.	75@95c
Salmon, doz.	95c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	$1.00@1.30
1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.85@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.40@2.45
do 1-lb cans	$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.45@3.60
do mustards, ¾s	$2.60
do French	$9.50@18.50

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl.	$26.00
do half bbl	$11.50
do quar. bbl.	$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl.	$20.00
do half bbls	$10.50
do quar. bbls	$6.25
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl.	$16.00
do half bbls	$8.50
do quar. bbls	$4.85
do 20-lb pails	$1.90
do 10-lb pails	$1.00
do No. 2 Irish 50-lb tubs	$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs.	$3.35
do 30-lb	$1.35
do 10-lb	50c

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags	10@12c
do 25-lb boxes	10½@12¼c
Apples, bulk	6¾@7c
do 1-lb cartons	7½@8c
Peaches	7@10¼c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg.	7½@7¾c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes	6@6½c
do Ondaria Val.	8@8½c
do Cal. Val	7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs	6½@6¾c
Prunes	3@8c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small	$6.75@7.00
do mammoth	$6.85@7.00
do crimson	$4.50@4.75
do white Dutch	$10.25@12.00
Alsike	$7.50@8.00
Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00
Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
Southern	$1.75@1.80
Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb	16@18c
do blues, 14-lb bu.	$1.65@1.75
do red top, 14-lb bu.	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.50@1.60

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens	14@15c
do roosters	9@10c
do old turkeys	14@15c
do old ducks	11@12c
do spring chickens, Large	15@16c
Small	13@14c
do geese	8@9c
do spring ducks	14@15c
Dressed hens	17@18c
do roosters	13@14c
do turkeys	20@21c
do spring chickens	19@20c
do spring ducks	18@19c
do Long Island ducklings	20c
do capon, lb.	26@27c
Squab, doz.	$4.00
do No. 2	$3.75
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.75@2.00
do canvas-back	$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz.	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
do grouse	$2.50
do partridges	$2.25
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25
Reed birds, doz.	$1.25
Snappers, per lb.	9@10c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bulk, bu. store	55@60c
bu. track	45@50c
Virginia sweets, bbls.	$1.65@1.75
Jersey sweets, bbls.	$2.75@3.00
Hampers	$1.00@1.25
Onions, bbls.	$2.00@2.25
do bu	80@90c
Valencias, per crate	$3.25@3.50
do bu	$1.40@1.50
Spanish, per crate	$1.20@1.25
Cucumbers, bbls.	$1.00@1.25
do Ashtabula, chips	25@40c
do home raised, bu.	75@85c
Green peas, home raised, per bu.	$1.00@1.25
Cabbage, bbl	75c@$1.00
Lettuce, home, doz.	20@30c
String beans, green	75c@$1.00
Wax beans	75c@$1.00
Brussels sprouts, quart	18@20c
Celery, Kalamazoo, doz.	10@15c
do Ohio	15@25c
Tomatoes, do Marietta, baskets	20@25c
Home grown chips	20@25c
Honey, new	15@16c
Beets	25@30c
do bbls	$3.00@3.25
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Egg plant, crate, choice	50@75c
do doz.	50@75c
Squash, marrowfats, bbl.	$1.50@1.75
Huckleberries, do 10-lb baskets	50@60c
do 20-lb baskets	$1.00@1.25
do pails	$1.00@1.10
Elderberries, per crate	$1.00@1.25
per qt.	5c
baskets	50c
pails	50@60c
Peppers, bu.	40@50c
Mushrooms, per lb	35@40c
Cauliflower, per basket	50@60c
Green corn, home raised, doz.	12@15c
bu.	90c@$1.00
Cantaloupes, Rockyfords, do Standards, crate	$1.00@1.25
do combina	85@95c
Watermelons	20@30c
Garlic, lb	7@8c
Lima beans, per qt	9@10c
do 3-qt b'sket	20@25c
Cranberries, per crate	$2.00@$2.25

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
18 lbs and up	12c
Over 14 to 18 lbs.	11¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs.	12c
10 lbs and under	12¼c
Skinned	13c
Boneless boiled	20c
California	9⅝c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	9¾c
do skinned	10¼c
Ribs, 8 to 20 lbs.	12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs.	11¾c
do back strips	11½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs.	12¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs.	12¼c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	11¾c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	8½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs.	9⅜c
do 16 to 20 lbs.	10c
do under 16 lbs.	10c
Dry salt, smoked sides, extra short clears	10½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs.	10⅝c
do 16 to 20 lbs.	11c
do under 16 lbs.	11c
Lard, pure, tierces	7¾c

NUTS.

Filberts	10c
Eng. walnuts	12@15c
S. S. almonds	16½c
Tarr. almonds	16½c
Mixed	10c
Brazil	9c
Dried Italian chestnuts	7c
Shellbarks, bu.	$1.75@2.00
Pecans	10c
Peanuts, fancy roasted	$1.60
do choice	$1.30

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	8c
do light, under 60 lbs and cows, all weights	7c
No. 1 green bulls	6c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs.	9c
do No. 2	8c
Cows and light calfskin, No. 1	10c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	22½@23c
Tubs	21½@22c
Ohio cream	19@20c
Dairy	12@12½c
Country roll	11½@12c
Cheese, N. Y., full cm. new	9¾@10¼c
do Ohio cm.	9½@9¾c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	14@15½c
do block	13@14c
do imported	27@27½c
do Limberger, new	11½@12½c
do 5-lb brick	12@13c
Neufchatel, per box	90c@$1.00
do ¾ cream, new	8¼@8½c
do Ohio Swiss	12@12½c
Eggs, selected	23c
do candled	21@22c
do at mark	18@19c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina	$3.50@4.00
do California	$2.50@3.00
Oranges, St. Michaels	$4.00@4.50
Late Valencias	$4.00@4.50
Jamaicas, per box	$3.00@3.25
Cocoanuts, bags	$2.75@3.00
Figs, cartons	75@90c
Bananas 1st	$1.50@1.75
do 2nds	$1.25@1.50
Pineapples, crate	$3.00@3.50
Grapes, California, crates	$1.50@1.75
N. Y. grapes, 8-lb b'sket	18@19c
4-lb b'sket	10@11c
Grape fruit	$5.00@5.50
Apples, bu.	45@60c
do ½ bu.	25@35c
Crab apples, chips	40@50c
Peaches, 6-basket carriers	$1.25@1.75
10-lb b'skets	20@25c
20-lb b'skets	40@45c
bu crate	$1.00@1.50
bu b'sket	$1.75@2.00
Plums, crates	75c@$1.00
20-lb b'skets	50@60c
Damsons, 20-lb b'skets	50@55c
Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
Pears, per crate, Fancy	$2.00@2.50
20-lb b'skets	15@20c
20-lb b'skets	30@35c
Bartletts, bbls	$3.50@4.00

GOULD ENGAGES WITH HARRIMAN IN THE TRANSCONTINENTAL CONTEST

Developments are coming rapidly in connection with the new Pacific coast line, the Western Pacific, in which the Gould interests have shown their hand. The interest in Pittsburgh is due mainly to the fact that it will be the natural Wabash connection for the large Pacific coast tourist and business travel in which this city is interested. The election of Edwin F. Hawley to the Western Pacific board a few days ago added to the new project a man who is a factor of no small import in the western railroad situation, controlling the Colorado Southern and partly controlling the Colorado Midland, the Minneapolis & St. Louis and Iowa Central lines, making up the "Albert Lea" route, and the Clover Leaf, a Toledo-St. Louis line that has demonstrated its ability to take care of itself.

The Western Pacific is designed to become a direct rival of the Southern Pacific as a trunk line route to the coast. This threat is leveled at Southern Pacific by the Rockefeller-Gould-Hawley syndicate. As an aggregation, the group has money to carry the threat into execution.

The general plan of the Western Pacific is fairly well understood. The road will run northeast from San Francisco, through Oakland, Stockton, Sacramento, and will enter Nevada via Beckwith pass. It will cross Nevada in the southern part and probably connect with the Gould lines at Marysville, running thence over Rio Grande Western to Thistle, at the south end of Salt Lake.

At first glance the line does not look like a competitor of the Southern Pacific. The latter runs north of Salt Lake and curves to the southward gradually. The two will be hundreds of miles apart throughout nearly their entire length. On local traffic they will not compete. But local traffic is an insignificant part of the business on both lines. It is the through business that they want. Moreover, Mr. Harriman is building, through Senator Clark, the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Pacific to run through the very country where the Western Pacific is to lie. He is building it because he knew that the Western Pacific was to build. The two are rivals of the most pronounced type. Western Pacific has completed surveys and has bought its San Francisco terminals. It also owns many miles of local roads bought during the past two years. The capitalization of the Western Pacific is as follows: Stock (paid up $15,00,000) $50,000,000; bonds (30 year 5 per cent), $50,000,000; total, $100,000,000.

To build the 810 miles of main line and 440 miles of branch line projected the same interests, in 1903, organized the Western Pacific Construction Company, with a capital stock of $30,000,000.

B. & O. Officials in the City.

George F. Randolph, first vice president, and George L. Potter, third vice president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, were in the city yesterday for a few hours. They are engaged in an inspection trip over the system and came in from the west. Accompanied by General Superintendent W. C. Loree and Supt. Bruce W. Duer of Pittsburgh, they went on to Connellsville. The work between New Castle and Akron, where the line is being rebuilt in large part, was very carefully studied.

Many Railroad Meetings at St. Louis.

St. Louis will be the Mecca of many railroad men from now for a month to come. Today the convention of the Chief Joint Car Inspectors' association opens in the world's fair city. October 3-8, the International Engineering congress will be in session there and many railroad engineers are members of this. Railroad engineering will be among the topics most thoroughly discussed. The Railway Signaling association will meet there October 11, and the Central Western Association of Car Service Officers will hold the meeting postponed from September 15. On October 20 the Association of Railway Superintendents of Bridges and Buildings will be held.

Passenger Trains Over Salt Lake.

The Ogden-Lucien cut-off of the Harriman system, running across the northern arm of Salt Lake was opened for passenger traffic yesterday. It has been in use for some time for part of the overland freight traffic, but yesterday it was made an actual part of the overland system, and henceforth all trains will be run over the tracks of the cut-off, which stretches for miles in a straight line over piling and filing through the waters of Salt Lake. The elimination of this part of the system from overland traffic will, it is estimated, save about $1,500 a day in operating expenses.

Clover Leaf's Sale Rumored.

The sale of the Toledo, St. Louis & Western to the Pennsylvania-Vanderbilt interests jointly has been rumored for several days past. The alleged purpose is to remove a road which has been accused often of being a rate disturber from further power to do much in that line. The fact that Edwin Hawley, one of those most largely interested in the Clover Leaf, has gone into the directorate of the Western Pacific might cast some doubt as to the Clover Leaf becoming tied up with interests not friendly to the Goulds.

Railroad Notes.

J. F. Arringer, division ticket agent of the Pennsylvania railroad at Philadelphia, spent yesterday in this city.

D. C. Crider was yesterday appointed agent of the Panhandle at Mahons, or Follansbee, on the Wheeling branch of the road.

Chairman Loree of the Rock Island executive committee, President Winchell and General Manager Miller are headed for Colorado. It is said they will inspect the Moffat road.

Rate clerks of lines having membership in the Central Passenger association will be in session at the Grand hotel at Cincinnati today, Friday and Saturday. The meeting is to be held for the purpose of completing the work of checking up the Cincinnati, Louisville, Evansville, Cairo, Indianapolis and Columbus rate sheets, preparatory to the issuing of the semi-annual joint rate sheet in November.

Several suits brought by holders of common stock in the Vandalia line against the St. Louis, Vandalia & Terre Haute Railroad Company, which have been in court for several years, have been dismissed by Judge B. R. Burroughs in the circuit court at Greenville, Ill., by an agreement of the attorneys. H. C. Begole of Belleville, the receiver, was discharged and the complainants were directed to pay the receiver's certificates, amounting to $20,000, with interest.

IRISH FELLOWSHIP CLUB ENTERTAINS JOHN REDMOND

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish party and his parliamentary colleagues, Capt. A. J. C. Donnellan and Patrick O'Brien, were given a luncheon today at the Sherman house by the Irish Fellowship club. John F. Finerty, president of the United Irish league of America was present.

GRAIN MARKET WEAK ON FAVORABLE WEATHER

December Option Is Off Half a Cent—Other Cereals Are Down.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—The grain markets were weak today, as a result of favorable weather conditions throughout the west. At the close December wheat was off ½c. The May option closed at a loss of ⅝@⅞c. Corn is 1c below yesterday's closing figures. Oats are down ½c and provisions 5@7½c.

Easy cables, with weather favorable for the maturing of the corn crop, had a weakening influence on wheat at the opening. The selling was quite general in character, a lot of long wheat coming out as soon as trading began. Initial quotations on December were off ⅝@¾c at $1 08⅝@1 08¾. May was down ⅛@⅝c to ⅞@1c at $1 10⅝@1 11. The market received little support during the first hour and in consequence prices declined still further, December selling off to $1 08¼ and May to $1 10⅝. Sentiment temporarily turned bullish later in the day under the influence of a cable dispatch from Paris, giving a private estimate on the French crop. According to the authority quoted the total yield will show a decrease of 61,000,000 bushels, compared with the official figures. About this time the Paris market showed an advance equal to 1½@2¾c a bushel. The strong front presented by the market here was made more pronounced by advices from St. Louis, where an improved demand for flour had developed. The cash situation also at St. Louis was a source of comfort to the bull element here, prices being up from 1c to 2c. One of the most prominent operators in the pit was credited with heavy purchases and this in itself had much to do with the advance. On the bulge December sold up to $1 10 and May to $1 11¾. Late in the day, however, the gain was all lost, liberal profit-taking again forcing prices down almost to the lowest point of the session. The market closed weak with December at $1 09. May closed at $1 10¾. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 22,600 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,054,600 bushels, compared with 974,300 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 678 cars, against 469 cars last week, and 715 cars a year ago.

Reports of comparatively small damage to the crop by frost during the previous night and liberal receipts caused weakness in corn. Liquidation was quite general throughout the day and the buying was mainly by shorts. The market closed weak and near the lowest point at 50⅝@50¾c, sold between 50¼c and 51c, and closed at 50¼@50⅜c. Local receipts were 237 cars, with 21 of contract grade.

Weakness in other grains had a depressing effect on the oats market. The principal trading was in the May delivery. The market closed at the low point. After opening ⅛@¼c lower at 32⅛@32¼c, December ranged between 31⅞c and 32¼@32⅜c, closing at 31⅞c. Local receipts were 92 cars.

Liquidation due to increased hog receipts and to the break in grain prices caused weakness in provisions. Trading was fairly active with an increase of outside business. At the close January pork was down 17½c at $13 10. Lard was off 5@7½c at $7 30. Ribs closed at $6 80@6 82½, a loss of 7½c.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 104 cars; corn, 385 cars; oats, 185 cars; hogs, 23,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2.					
Sep. o.	1 10¼	1 10¼	1 09½	7 09½	1 09⅝
Sep. n.	1 06½	1 07⅛	1 06½	1 06½	1 07
Dec.	1 08⅝	1 10	1 08⅛	1 09	1 09½
May	1 11	1 11¾	1 10⅝	1 10¾	1 10⅝
CORN, No. 2.					
Sep.	52¼	52¼	51⅝	52	52⅝
Dec.	50⅝	51	50¼	50⅜	51⅛
May	50⅝	50⅝	49½	49⅞	50¾
OATS, No. 2.					
Sep.	31	31	30⅝	30⅞	31⅛
Dec.	32¼	32⅜	31⅞	31⅞	32⅜
May	34⅝	34⅝	34⅜	34⅜	34⅞
MESS PORK					
Oct.	11 25	11 80	11 12½	11 37½	11 32½
Jan.	13 25	13 47½	13 10	13 10	13 27½
LARD.					
Oct.	7 15	7 22½	7 10	7 15	7 17½
Jan.	7 32½	7 40	7 27½	7 30	7 37½
SHORT RIBS.					
Oct.	7 55	7 65	7 50	7 52½	7 55
Jan.	6 85	6 92½	6 80	6 82½	6 90

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour was firm. Wheat, No. 2 spring, $1 16; No. 3, $1 05@1 15; No. 2 red, $1 10⅝@1 12¾. Corn, No. 2, 54½c; No. 2 yellow, 53½c. Oats, No. 2, 30⅞@31c; No. 2 white, 33@33¾c; No. 3 white, 31½@33¼c. Rye, No. 2, 73c. Good feeding barley, 37@38c; fair to choice malting, 44@50c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 13; No. 1 northwestern, $1 21. Mess Pork, per bbl., $11 37½@11 50; lard, per 100 lbs., $7 15@7 20; short ribs sides, loose, $7 50@7 55; short clear sides, boxed, $8 50@8 75. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1 28. Clover, contract grade, $11 75.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	40,200	9,200
Wheat, bu.	175,000	75,500
Corn, bu.	538,800	792,700
Oats, bu.	354,200	218,300
Rye, bu.	7,000	900
Barley, bu.	220,300	5,500

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Flour—Receipts, 15,221 barrels; exports, 6,786 barrels; sales, 3,200 packages; market slow at yesterday prices; Minnesota bakers, $4 50@4 80. Rye flour firm. Cornmeal steady. Rye nominal. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 13,000 bushels; sales, 4,400 bushels futures; spot steady; No. 2 red, $1 14⅝ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1 23⅝ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal f. o. b. afloat. Options had an irregular movement, with the average tone steady, closing ¼@½c net lower. The few advances were influenced by bullish French crop estimates and higher cables, while an absence of much frost in the west impelled frequent bear attacks. May, $1 12⅛@1 12¾; closed at $1 12⅝; September, $1 13⅝@1 14⅝; closed $1 14; December, $1 12⅝@1 13¾; closed $1 12 13-16. Corn—Receipts, 44,550 bushels; sales, 5,000 bushels futures, 8,000 bushels spot; spot easy; No. 2, 57c elevator and 57½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 61½c. Options opened lower on the favorable weather map, rallied with wheat, but finally declined under liquidation and closed partly 1c net lower; May closed 56c; December 56⅝@57c; closed 56⅝c. Oats—Receipts, 184,200 bushels; spot steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 34½@35½c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 36½@37½c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 37½@41c. Options nominal.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 21.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1 09@1 12; No. 2 northern, $1 13@1 16; May, $1 10⅝@1 10 ¾ asked. Rye, No. 1, 77½c. Barley, No. 2, 57c; sample, 33@55c. Corn, ½c lower; No. 3, 52½@54c; May, 49⅝c.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash elevator, $1 11; December, $1 12⅛; May, $1 13⅝; No. 2 hard, $1 08@1 10. Corn, No. 2 cash, 51½c; December, 47¼@47⅝c; May, 47½c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 32c; December, 42c; May, 34¼c; No. 2 white, 34@34½c.

DULUTH, Sept. 21.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, new, $1 13½; No. 2 northern, $1 09⅝; September, $1 13½; December, $1 09⅞; May, $1 12¼.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Government bonds closed ⅛ higher bid for the 2s and short 4s. The tone of the general bond market was fairly firm, with the more important dealings in Japanese 4s, Consolidated Tobacco 4s, Rock Island collateral 4s, Central Georgia second incomes, Oregon Short Line 4s, Union Pacific convertible 4s, St. Louis & San Francisco refunding 4s, Steel Sinking Fund 5s and Wabash debenture Bs. District of Columbia 3s, '65s, 118½ bid; Philippine 4s, 110 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Japanese 6s	94⅝	94	94⅝
Atchison general 4s	103⅜	103¼	103⅜
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	98	97⅞	98
Balto. & Ohio gold 4s	103¾	103⅝	103⅝
Brook. Rap. Tran con. 4s	80¼	80	80⅛
Central of Georgia 1st inc.	86½	86	86½
Do 2d inc.	50⅛	49	50⅛
C., B. & Q. joint 4s	96⅞	96⅝	96⅞
C., R. I. & P. col. 4s	75⅝	74⅞	75
Consolidated Tobacco 4s	72⅝	71¼	72⅝
Distillers 5s	73½	73¾	73½
N. & W. (P., C. & C.) 4s	94½	94	94½
Oregon Short Line 4s	100¾	100½	100¾
St. L. & S. F. rfdg. 4s	86	85⅞	85⅞
T., St. L. & W. 4s	80½	80⅛	80½
United Pacific 1st 4s	104⅜	104⅜	104⅜
Do con. 4s	105¼	104	105
U. S. Steel S. F. 5s	81	80⅝	81
Wabash Deb. Bs	64½	63¾	64

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 5@10 points on reports of an unfavorable nature as to the Brazilian crops, reiterated small estimates for the present Santos crop, and steadiness in the European markets. But demand was checked by the fear that the world's visible supply statement on October 1 would show another increase in excess of last year. Just before the close, however, there was a sudden spurt of buying and the market was finally steady at a net gain of 10@15 points. Sales were reported of 63,250 bags, including December at 6.95@7.05c; March, 7.20@7.35c; May, 7.45@7.50c; July, 7.65c. Spot Rio firm; No. 7 invoice, 8½c; mild firm. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining, 3⅛c; centrifugal 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses sugar, 3½c; refined quiet.

NONE OF THE LOWER SOUTHWEST OIL WELLS ATTRACT ANY ATTENTION

Few wells completed in the lower southwest fields nowadays are attracting any attention. Nearly all are small and located in the old developments. In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the South Penn Company has drilled its No. 56 on the B. W. Peterson farm through the Gordon and found no oil or gas and is now drilling to the fourth sand. In the same district the same company his drilled its No. 4 on the A. Batson farm through the Big Injun and found no oil or gas and is now drilling to the Gordon.

Near Wallace, Harrison county, the Hope Natural Gas Company has drilled its test on the A. E. Kishbaugh farm into the Gordon and has a good gas pressure.

Near Burton, Wetzel county, the Philadelphia company is due at its second test on the Sarah Anderson farm. This will be the first well to get the sand in that immediate locality since the first well was completed on that farm.

On the east side of the Folsom district, Harrison county, the South Penn company has drilled its No. 3 on the Mary Moore farm 35 feet into the stray and has developed no oil or gas. In the Salem district the South Penn company lost the tools in its second test on the S. R. Lanahan farm and is fishing.

In the Pine Grove extension, Wetzel county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 4 on the Pitman-Yeater farm 10 feet into the stray and has developed no oil or gas.

In the Kinckelow district, Harrison county, the South Penn has drilled its test on the S. Nutter farm into the fifth sand and has a show of gas. It is still drilling.

In the Mannington district, Marion county, the South Penn company's No. 1 on the L. Crouser farm is producing five barrels a day from the Big Injun. The same company's No. 5 on the B. F. Conway farm is producing 20 barrels a day from the Gordon. At Fairview No. 10 on the D. L. Toothman is holding up at 135 barrels a day.

Ritchie county has made a number of completions of more or less importance. On Ellis run, two miles south of Petroleum, Rutherford Bros. have drilled a test on the J. Sharpnack farm into the Big Injun or Squaw sand and is producing about 25 barrels a day, natural. The well has considerable gas and has been shut down to move back the boiler. This test is in advance of any production and is attracting considerable attention.

In the same district the Red Brush Oil Company has completed its No. 8 on the Volcano tract, Carney & Shields have completed No. 7 on the West Virginia tract. The Mount Farm Coal and Oil Company has completed No. 79 on the Mount farm and Dennis O'Brien has completed No. 35 on the Wood county petroleum tract. Both are good for about two barrels each in the salt sand. The Clark Oil Company and Hines have completed their No. 15 on the Volcano tract and have a five-barrel pumper in the Big Injun.

In the Cairo district, the Southern Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the C. Collins farm and has a show for an eight or ten-barrel pumper in the salt sand.

North of Cairo the Indiana and West Virginia Oil Company has completed No. 7 on the Kennedy Oil Company's farm at a depth of 2,987 feet and has a duster in all sands. This is the first well in that locality to be drilled to so great a depth.

In the Bens Run district, Pleasants county, Durham & Brunson have drilled their second test on the Alfred Moore farm through the Big Injun sand and have a duster.

In the Hebron district, Tyler county, the American Oil Development Company and the South Penn Oil Company have drilled their No. 19 on the J. W. Morgan farm into the Maxon sand and have a show for a 50-barrel producer in that formation.

In the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the Piedmont Oil and Gas Company has completed and shot its test on the Mrs. A. D. Parr farm and has a show for a two or three-barrel pumper in the Berea grit. This location is 800 feet northeast of the Townsell Oil Company's No. 10 on the A. C. Fisher farm, which camein a duster.

In the northeast end of the development, Leonard, Carr & Gilmore have drilled their test on the Malinda Richards farm 20 feet into the Maxon and at that depth struck a pay that contains a black oil. The well is estimated to be good for 50 barrels a day from that level, but will be drilled deeper. The location is 2,000 feet northeast of the test drilled on the Jackson farm.

Back of Beaver Falls, Beaver county, Holmes & Vannoy have completed a test on the James Patterson farm and have a show for a six or eight-barrel pumper in the Berea formation.

West of Bakertown, Allegheny county, the Southern Oil Company is down 600 feet with a test on the Crystal farm. In the same district Keil & Co. have the rig completed for a test on the S. Wallace farm. The Bakerstown Oil Company is down 1,700 feet at a second test on the Ira Crawford farm. This is a new development, introduced by this company when it drilled in its first test on this farm and got a fair pumper.

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the various fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 53; Cabell, $1 50; Tiona, $1 68; Corning, $1 33; New Castle, $1 40; North Lima, $1 03; South Lima, 98c; Indiana, 98c; Somerset, 98c; Raglan, 50c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 53.

OIL CITY, Sept. 21.—Credit balances, $1 53; certificates, no bid. Shipments, Pennsylvania, 93,894 bbls., average, 74,182 bbls., runs, 101,843 bbls., average, 72,469. Shipments, Lima, 80,385 bbls., average, 70,296; runs, 83,450; average, 57,807.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 21.—Oil, North Lima, $1 03; South Lima and Indiana, 98c.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL. SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Sept. 20	76,599	Sept. 19	101,844
Previously	1,387,748	Previously	1,275,069
Total	1,464,347	Total	1,376,913
Daily avg.	73,217	Daily avg.	72,469
LIMA OIL. SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Selt. 20	80,385	Sept. 19	83,450
Previously	1,327,540	Previously	1,001,087
Total	1,407,925	Total	1,084,537
Daily avg.	70,396	Daily avg.	57,081

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 21.—Spirits turpentine steady, 51½c. Rosin, nothing doing, $2 45 bid. Tar unchanged. Crude turpentine unchanged.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 21.—Turpentine firm, 51½c. Rosin firm, A, B, C, $2 55; D, $2 65; E, $2 70; F, $2 75; G, $2 80; H, $2 80; I, $2 95; K, $3 70; M, $4 10; N, $4 35; W. G., $4 65; W. W., 4 95.

SAVANNAH, GA., Sept. 21.—Turpentine firm at 52c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, $2 65; D, $2 70; E, $2 75; F, $2 80; G, $2 85; H, $2 90; I, $3 00; K, $3 75; M, $4 15; N, $4 40; W G, $4 70; W W, $5 00.

Gift from J. D. Rockefeller, Jr.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 21.—Upon the opening of the Academic year at Brown university today, President Faunce announced a gift of $5,000 from John D. Rockefeller, Jr., '97.

FINANCIAL AND TRADE NOTES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The directors of the Ann Arbor railroad at an adjourned annual meeting have re-elected all the outgoing officers.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 21.—A receiver has taken charge of the Cleveland & Sharon and the Warren, Courtland & Jefferson Traction companies, both of which are under construction in the northeastern part of Ohio.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $625,799; government receipts from internal revenue, $808,367; customs, $938,758; miscellaneous, $31,320; expenditures, $1,750,000.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—At the meeting of directors of the American Telephone and Telegraph company William Powell Putnam of Boston was elected to the board to succeed Thomas B. Bradley, resigned. The usual quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent was declared.

MONTREAL, Sept. 21.—The buildings of the Canada Hardware Company, the central agency, which is the Canadian branch of the London thread trust, and Chaput Fils & Co., one of the largest wholesale grocery and liquor houses in Canada, were burned early today. The loss is estimated at $550,000; partially covered by insurance.

LEXINGTON, KY., Sept. 21.—A motion was entered here today for a receiver for the Blue Grass Consolidation Traction Company, capitalized at $7,000,000, and managed by Senator George B. Davis of Detroit. The action was forced by creditors of the concern, which has only partially completed its interurban system in Central Kentucky.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—At meetings of the boards of directors of the Indiana Union and Indianapolis Northern Traction companies today, George F. McCulloch resigned the presidency and was elected chairman of the board of directors of each company. Arthur W. Brady was elected president. W. Kesley Schoepf will continue as vice president and W. C. Sampson was elected secretary.

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MORRIS & BROWN GET THE DECISION

Surviving Partners of Lathrop R. Bacon & Co. Must Carry Out an Agreement.

DOW GWINN GETS LONG TERM

In the case of Joseph C. Morris and Richard R. Brown, trading as Morris & Brown, against James H. McCutcheon, John L. McCutcheon and John D. Armstrong, surviving partners of Lathrop R. Bacon & Co., Judge Rodgers filed an opinion. The action was one in equity to compel a specific performance of of an agreement between the litigants. The court finds that on May 9, 1901, James H. McCutcheon was indebted to Morris & Brown for $113,676 28, being the balance due in settlement of an account for certain shares of capital stock in various corporations, bought and sold by the plaintiffs as stock brokers, for McCutcheon, a customer of theirs.

The court finds that after the account had been closed an agreement was entered into by the partners with the understanding that McCutcheon's counsel would become the custodian of it for John L. McCutcheon, who was one of the beneficiaries and trustees to carry out its provision. The court finds that the agreement was enacted at the demand of the plaintiffs and that neither fraud, accident or mistake had any part in it.

The agreement provided for the securing of the indebtedness and giving of certain notes, and was signed by J. L. James, H. and Thomas G. McCutcheon and Lathrop R. Bacon & Co., and the court decides that the same must be performed and carried out.

A decree in divorce was made in the suit of Alice Newman against William Newman, on the grounds of cruelty.

Judge Frazer in common pleas court No. 2, filed an opinion in the case of L. F. Demmler and others against F. M. Porter and others, sustaining the demurrers of the defendants to the bill of the plaintiffs, but plaintiffs are allowed 15 days in which to amend their bill if they so desire. The bill is based on individual subscriptions made by the plaintiffs for shares of the Reliance Life Insurance Company stock. The court finds that the cause of complaint is not common to all the plaintiffs, and that their right is not precisely the same, and that each must institute his own proceedings instead of joining with others.

In criminal court, before Judge Evans, Dow Gwinn was sentenced to serve seven years in the Western penitentiary, having been convicted of a felony. The charge was made by Mrs. Maude Stimmell of Homewood. The prosecutrix alleged that on July 12 last the defendant, who was a friend of the family, came to visit them, and that when he called she was alone in the house. She alleges that she was sitting in a chair with her baby when Gwinn caught hold of her and committed a criminal assault.

Edmund Rucker pleaded guilty to a charge of felonious assault and was sent to the workhouse for two years. The prosecutor, William Wright, alleged Rucker cut him on the arm and neck, at the head of the Seventeenth street incline, on September 3, last.

William Phillips, a mine foreman, and Martin Harsnik, a miner, were convicted of a violation of the mining laws, the charge being made by Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham. They are alleged to have passed danger signals in the Miller's run mine with open lamps.

The case of perjury against Ira L. Berry, made by Christ Knoll of McKeesport, was nolle prossed at the costs of the prosecutor. Berry is one of the detectives in the Anti-Saloon league.

Judge Collier filed an opinion in the equity suit of Harry Walker against James Hay, Frank McConnell, T. D. Miller, James Walker, Ed C. Hartje, Charles Adams, the James Hay Company and the Ruud Manufacturing Company. The court directs a decree declaring the cancellation of a debt of over $30,000 of James Hay on the books of the James Hay Company null and void, and that the said cancellation be stricken off the books. The bill as to the Ruud Manufacturing Company is dismissed.

Application was made by Assistant City Solicitor L. S. Levin for a charter for the Police and Detective Protection association of Pittsburgh. The subscribers include about 50 well-known city police and detectives, the necessary affidavit being made by Richard Kelly, William A. Riley and Robert Denniston. The purposes are to accumulate funds for the benefit of sick and indigent members.

In the equity suit of G. Wehrstedt and others against the borough of Bellevue and the Bellevue and Perrysville Street Railway Company, Judge Shafer handed down an opinion restraining the defendants from constructing a line along a portion of Thomas avenue, Bellevue. The streets form a portion of the boundary line between Ross township and the borough and it was contended the consent of the township had not been secured and that the borough had no authority to grant the privilege for the use of the street for street railway purposes.

The testimony filed in the divorce suit of Evelyn F. Aland against Edward A. Aland shows that he left her on the day of their marriage and afterward declared she was his wife in name only. The wife is 24 years old and she was married on Friday, September 12, 1902. On the afternoon of her wedding day, so she testified, they went to the Crystal Maze restaurant for supper. While there he excused himself, saying he had to see some friends. He did not come back and she had to return to her parents' home in Allegheny alone. On Sunday he called on her and then for a period of four weeks called every other night. She states that he never lived with her and never contributed a cent to her support.

In the suit of Alexander McDowell against B. C. Willson and B. F. Shraffier, proprietors of the Seventh Avenue hotel, to recover the value of a suit case and contents alleged to have been lost in the hotel, the defendants filed an affidavit of defense. They allege that McDowell, at the time he reported the loss to them, was uncertain whether he had taken it to the hotel; they deny that he returned the key of his room to the clerk, and aver that they were not negligent.

A petition in bankruptcy was entered by Albert A. St. Peter, a manufacturer of Clarendon borough, Warren county. He gives his liabilities as $16,674 60, with assets of $10,227 30.

A similar petition was filed in the same court by Edward Milton Duff, a physician of Hollidaysburg. His liabilities are given as $4,231 94, and his assets as $220.

The following executions were issued yesterday: Baxter & Wills vs. R. C. Harrison, $116 28; Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company vs. V. Q. Hickman, $808 12; Ditzler Color Company vs. C. H. Stackman, as the Valley Carriage Company, $102 02; the Allen Rubber Company vs. same, $131 67; James W. Houston & Co. vs. Mrs. John Tolourtz, $60 98; George W. Wise vs. Oura McLaughlin et al., $104 50; W. Margeson vs. Bessie Finkelstein et al., $88.

Grand Jury Returns.

Among the true bills returned by the grand jury yesterday was one against Policeman Robert Harper of Coraopolis, charging him with murder. He is alleged to have shot Forest F. Craig, a glassworker, at Coraopolis on June 25 last, causing his death in the hospital on July 1. On September 12 the bill against Harper, charging murder, was placed before the present grand jury and was returned to the court ignored. The court ordered the bill sent before the grand jury again, with the result that a true bill was found yesterday.

Other true bills returned were as follows: Robbery, Samuel Danziger; felonious assault and battery, Marcel Runewicz; aggravated assault and battery, Michael Conley (2); John Dunn, William A. Downing et al., George B. Echman, William Tyler; assault and battery, W. D. Barr, William Bailey, Lena Farrell, Frend Scandrol; embezzlement, Edward Blakely; selling liquor illegally, Tish Allen (2); pointing firearms, William A. Downing; misdemeanor, Tish Allen, D. D. Bumgarden, Ira Geisler, Marion Mosersky, Mabel Stone; assault, Charles Krauss.

Commissioners Award Contracts.

County Controller Robert J. Cunningham and the county commissioners yesterday awarded contracts for the county's supplies of stationery and printing to the following: A. W. McCloy, J. R. Weldin & Co., W. G. Johnston & Co., W. E. Stieren & Co., and A. De Haan. W. G. Johnston & Co. got the printing contract.

Slav Held for Cutting.

John Gurko, a Slav of Woods Run, Allegheny, is being held at No. 3 patrol station on a charge of felonious cutting. At a Slav wedding in Liberty hall, Tuesday night, he cut John Lynch, aged 15, in the neck. He will get a hearing when the boy is able to appear against him.

Last Niagara Falls Excursion P. & L. E. Saturday, Sept. 24.

Tickets sold for all trains above date. Through coaches and sleeping cars. Trains leave Lake Erie station, Pittsburgh, 9:30 a. m., 6:00 p. m., 11:30 p. m., city time.

This Interests You.

Read our special advertisement on page 5 of fine upright pianos at $190—greatest bargain of recent years. Mellor's, 319 and 321 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Speed Class

For advanced Shorthand Writers at the Evening Sessions of the Iron City College. They begin Monday, September 26.

$12. St. Louis, P. & L. E. R. R.

Colored Woman With Property Valued at $150,000, Is Dead

Mrs. Mary Johnston Massey, a prominent colored resident of Allegheny, is dead at the family residence in Anna street, after a brief illness. Deceased was the daughter of Louis Johnston and was born in Blairsville, Indiana county. In 1852 she married Lafayette Massey and settled in Allegheny. Her husband died five months ago.

Mrs. Massey was possessed of remarkable business ability, and in years past accumulated property until at the time of her death she was one of the largest property owners on the North Side. It is said the realty alone is valued at more than $150,000. Among her holdings was a block of brick residences in Cedar avenue, facing the East park. In every part of the city she owned property that has been improved by substantial buildings.

During her entire life Mrs. Massey was prominent in church and charitable work, giving freely of her wealth to the poor. For many years she was a member of the Central Reformed Presbyterian church of Allgheny, where two years ago last month she celebrated the golden anniversary of her wedding. Her charitable work was done largely in conjunction with the Rev. J. W. Sproull, pastor of the Central church. More than a year ago Mrs. Massey severed her connection with that church and joined Browns Methodist Episcopal chapel, in Hemlock street.

Avery B. Massey, the eldest son of the deceased, is in the Philippines serving in the Tenth United States cavalry. Another son, the Rev. Dr. Oscar H. Massey, has been a Reformed Presbyterian missionary in Africa since his graduation from Lincoln university, Chester county, seven years ago. He is stationed at Monrovia, Liberia. The other children surviving are: Mrs. Harry Patterson, Mrs. Frances Burleigh and Miss Martha J. Massey. Funeral services will be held this morning at 10 o'clock at the family residence.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS TO STUMP WEST VIRGINIA

Wilson, Foraker, Thurston and Shaw Scheduled for Addresses in Mountain State.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—A big Republican rally will be held at Charleston, W. Va., on the 24th instant, with Secretary Wilson and Senator Foraker as the principal speakers.

Former Senator John M. Thurston of Nebraska will deliver six speeches in West Virginia in October, beginning at Wellsburg on the 3d. He will speak at Middlebourne on the 4th; at Point Pleasant on the 5th and at Ronceverte on the 6th. The places at which he will speak on the 7th and 8th have not yet been decided upon.

Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw has been assigned to make three speeches in West Virginia, the first at Parkersburg, October 6; the others at Ceredo and Hinton, on the 7th and 8th.

FRANK A. PARKER.

PRINTED HIS CONFESSION OF BLACKMAILING BROKERS

Mysterious Editor Declares That He Was Always After "Blood Money."

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—In retiring as editor of The United States Investors Guardian, a publication which has dealt with matters pertaining to the Wall street district, that individual, whose name both the police and the postal authorities would like very much to ascertain, declares that his conscience will no longer permit him to carry on the deception. He says the paper has been used for months for the sole purpose of blackmailing financial interests and securing "blood money."

The editor makes this extraordinary announcement in the last issue of the paper which reached the offices of "victims" yesterday, under a heavy black caption, which reads: "An open confession." Bankers, brokers and promoters are discussing the unexpected announcement in wonderment.

For months the police have been trying to find the person who filled the four-page publication with misrepresentations of reputable firms. Bankers and brokers are planning to wage a fight to the finish on the backers of several similar publications.

FRANK A. PARKER.

Statement of Lehigh.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 21.—The statement of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for the month of July, issued today, shows: Gross earnings, $2,556,546, a decrease of $172,648, as compared with the same month last year; net earnings, exclusive of coal companies, $1,134,695, a decrease of $90,594 as compared with July, 1903.

Shipload of Missionaries.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Twenty-four of the 39 passengers who sailed today for Liverpool on the Leyland liner Winifredian were missionaries and their families on their way to foreign fields under the auspices of the American Baptist Missionary union.

SCHWAB SANGUINE OVER SHIPBUILDING'S FUTURE

Will Buy Any of the Bonds Not Wanted by Mortgage Holders of the Old Company.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The $3,000,000 of new collateral trust bonds soon to be issued by the reorganized United States Shipbuilding Company will not go on the market, except in small quantities.

It is understood that the largest interest in the new company will take all the bonds it is entitled to under the plan of distribution agreed upon by the reorganization committee and will also probably purchase any bonds of the smaller holders who may want to part with them.

Under the reorganization plan the bonds will be divided equally between the first and second mortgage holders of the old company. This will give $1,500,000 to each interest, but it is understood that Charles M. Schwab and his friends are so sanguine of the future of the company that they will buy any of the bonds which may be offered for sale.

FRANK A. PARKER.

TRY TO TAKE PICTURE OF "FORBIDDEN CITY"

As Result French Officer and Private Are Beaten by Chinese Soldiers in Pekin.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

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PEKIN, Sept. 21.—Commandant Laribe of the French legation guard, with a private, both in uniform, was in the northwest quarter of the Tartar city last Monday. Laribe, with the permission of the house owner, mounted to the roof of a Chinese house to photograph the "Forbidden City" but Chinese soldiers ordered him down.

When on the ground words passed and Laribe and the French soldier were badly beaten with sticks. They fled to the North Catholic cathedral, where they found the French minister with his carriage. They returned with him to the scene of the outrage and recovered the ponies they had abandoned.

A strong complaint has been lodged with the Chinese government.

This affair, and the Chinese-Italian fracas last Thursday, are the only instances since 1900 of Chinese soldiers striking foreign soldiers in uniform.

SAYS ARCHBISHOP NEVER INDORSED SUBWAY TAVERN

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 21.—Replying to an open letter, recently sent to the Archbishop of Canterbury by the American Young People's Christian Temperance union, with reference to an alleged indorsement of the Subway tavern in New York, Chaplain Gleison, in behalf of the archbishop, writes that "His grace has expressed no opinion whatever with regard to the Subway tavern, initiated by Bishop Potter."

Miss DeYoung for Sponsor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—Secretary of the Navy Morton has sent a telegram to M. H. DeYoung, proprietor of the Chronicle, naming his daughter, Miss Helen DeYoung, as sponsor for the training ship Intrepid, to be launched at Mare Island October 8.

TAMMANY DROVE HILL INTO LINE

Was Forced to Drop Grout, and Herrick Was Nominated as a Compromise.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY EASY

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 21.—The Democrats produced a semblance of harmony today and finally nominated the following state ticket:

For governor, Cady Herrick; lieut.-governor, Francis Burton Harrison; secretary of state, John Pallace, Jr.; attorney general, John Cunden; comptroller, George Hall; state treasurer, William Muench; state engineer and surveyor, Thomas H. Stryker; chief judge of the court of appeals, Edgar G. Cullen of Kings (Dem.) now an associate judge of that bench, and the Republican nominee; associate judge of the court of appeals, William E. Werner, (Rep.) now of that bench by designation by Gov. Odell, and the Republican nominee.

Justice Herrick's name was presented by David B. Hill.

Hill eulogized and named for governor of New York the man who had charged him with fraud in his attempt to be elected United States senator, the man who had fought him and defeated him in his own county and had even refused him permission to be a delegate at a state convention.

The selection of Judge Daniel Cady Herrick of Albany as the candidate for governor was made in the 11th hour. It came at a time when it seemed to those watching the consequences that united action by the convention was impossible. The deadlock over Comptroller Edward M. Grout, which had continued all of Tuesday, went on throughout the night. Patrick H. McCarren insisted on Grout, and with the assistance of former Senator Edward Murphy, Jr., and former Gov. David B. Hill, he had the votes to nominate his candidate.

But Charles F. Murphy, the leader of Tammany, held aloof from an indorsement of Mr. Grout. When pressed he declared against him, and plainly intimated that Grout would be slaughtered in Manhattan because the Tammany leaders could not induce the rank and file to vote for one who had fought the Tammany organization twice in three years.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—When the news reached the Fifth Avenue hotel that D. Cady Herrick had been decided upon as the Democratic nominee for the governorship, all the Republicans about state headquarters stopped work and laughed. Then they held a jubilation meeting. Not even Mr. Herrick could have been as pleased with the news as were his political enemies. One Republican of prominence said:

"Well, the Democrats have done it again. Time and again they have proved themselves the best asset the Republican party has in a campaign. We can always count on them to do the best thing for us."

CANNOT MAKE STEEL CARS.

No English Plants Equipped, So Yerkes Placed Order in the United States.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The chief engineer of the Yerkes tube railways in London, in an interview today, explaining the reasons for placing an order for 100 steel cars with an American car company, instead of with an English firm, said that while Mr. Yerkes promised that all the material should be ordered in Great Britain, it was found impossible to find a single firm in this country which could fill the order or make steel cars. The total value of the order is $500,000 and 300 additional cars will be ordered later.

TO REDUCE BAR IRON.

Basis of $1.30 Will Probably Be Agreed Upon at Association Meeting at New York Today.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Bar Iron association, which will be held in the Waldorf-Astoria tomorrow, a basis of $1 30 the 100 pounds, Pittsburgh, is likely to be agreed upon.

Bar iron has been selling between $1 30 and $1 35, Pittsburgh, for some time, but in view of the fact that bar iron follows the course of steel bars, the official price upon which has been fixed at $1 30, it is likely that the official quotation will be fixed at the same figure.

Funeral of Prince Bismarck.

FRIEDRICHSRUHE, Sept. 21.—The funeral service over the remains of Prince Herbert Bismarck, who died here September 18, took place today. Chancellor von Buelow, who was always a warm personal friend of the late prince, was present. Gen. von Hahnke, chief of the imperial military cabinet, represented the emperor; Capt. von Schwindt Prince Henry and Baron von Ritchofen the foreign office. The coffin was borne to the mausoleum by 16 servants in old Spanish costumes.

HIGH CLASS DRUGGISTS

AND — OTHERS.

The better class of druggists, everywhere, are men of scientific attainments and high integrity, who devote their lives to the welfare of their fellow men in supplying the best of remedies and purest medicinal agents of known value, in accordance with physicians' prescriptions and scientific formula. Druggists of the better class manufacture many excellent remedies, but always under original or officinal names and they never sell false brands, or imitation medicines. They are the men to deal with when in need of anything in their line, which usually includes all standard remedies and corresponding adjuncts of a first-class pharmacy and the finest and best of toilet articles and preparations and many useful accessories and remedial appliances. The earning of a fair living, with the satisfaction which arises from a knowledge of the benefits conferred upon their patrons and assistance to the medical profession, is usually their greatest reward for long years of study and many hours of daily toil. They all know that Syrup of Figs is an excellent laxative remedy and that it gives universal satisfaction, and therefore they are selling many millions of bottles annually to the well informed purchasers of the choicest remedies, and they always take pleasure in handing out the genuine article bearing the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of every package. They know that in cases of colds and headaches attended by biliousness and constipation and of weakness or torpidity of the liver and bowels, arising from irregular habits, indigestion, or over-eating, that there is no other remedy so pleasant, prompt and beneficial in its effects as Syrup of Figs, and they are glad to sell it because it gives universal satisfaction.

Owing to the excellence of Syrup of Figs, the universal satisfaction which it gives and the immense demand for it, imitations have been made, tried and condemned, but there are individual druggists to be found, here and there, who do not maintain the dignity and principles of the profession and whose greed gets the better of their judgment, and who do not hesitate to recommend and try to sell the imitations in order to make a larger profit. Such preparations sometimes have the name—"Syrup of Figs"—or "Fig Syrup" and of some piratical concern, or fictitious fig syrup company, printed on the package, but they never have the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of the package. The imitations should be rejected because they are injurious to the system. In order to sell the imitations they find it necessary to resort to misrepresentation or deception, and whenever a dealer passes off on a customer a preparation under the name of "Syrup of Figs" or "Fig Syrup," which does not bear the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed on the front of the package, he is attempting to deceive and mislead the patron who has been so unfortunate as to enter his establishment, whether it be large or small, for if the dealer resorts to misrepresentation and and deception in one case he will do so with other medicinal agents, and in the filling of physicians' prescriptions, and should be avoided by every one who values health and happiness. Knowing that the great majority of druggists are reliable, we supply the immense demand for our excellent remedy entirely through the druggists, of whom it may be purchased everywhere, in original packages only at the regular price of fifty cents per bottle, but as exceptions exist it is necessary to inform the public of the facts, in order that all may decline or return any imitation which may be sold to them. If it does not bear the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—printed on the front of every package, do not hesitate to return the article and to demand the return of your money, and in future go to one of the better class of druggists who will sell you what you wish and the best of everything in his line at reasonable prices.

FATHER FARREN'S JUBILEE TODAY

Celebration Will Open at Johnstown This Morning With Solemn High Mass.

BISHOP GARVEY TO ATTEND

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

JOHNSTOWN, Sept. 21.—The golden jubilee celebration of the admission of the Very Rev. John C. Farren to the priesthood, will be celebrated tomorrow at St. Colombo's Catholic church, of which he is pastor. The children of the Parochial school this afternoon held exercises in honor of the occasion. The jubilee service will commence at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, with solemn high mass. Father Farren will be the celebrant. He will be assisted by the Very Rev. Father Koch of Shenandoah, vicar general of the Harrisburg diocese, and the Rev. Father Thomas Conlin, formerly Father Farren's assistant, now in charge of the Derry Catholic church, as sub-deacons. The master of ceremonies will be the Rev. Father Matthew Smith of Altoona. The Rt. Rev. Eugene A. Garvey, bishop of the Altoona diocese, will be present in the sanctuary. Music will be furnished by visiting priests.

Among the priests who have arrived here are: the Rev. Father John Barry, the Rev. Hugh Boyle, the Rev. Father John McCann, all of Pittsburgh and former Johnstown boys; the Rev. Father E. J. Flynn of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., and others.

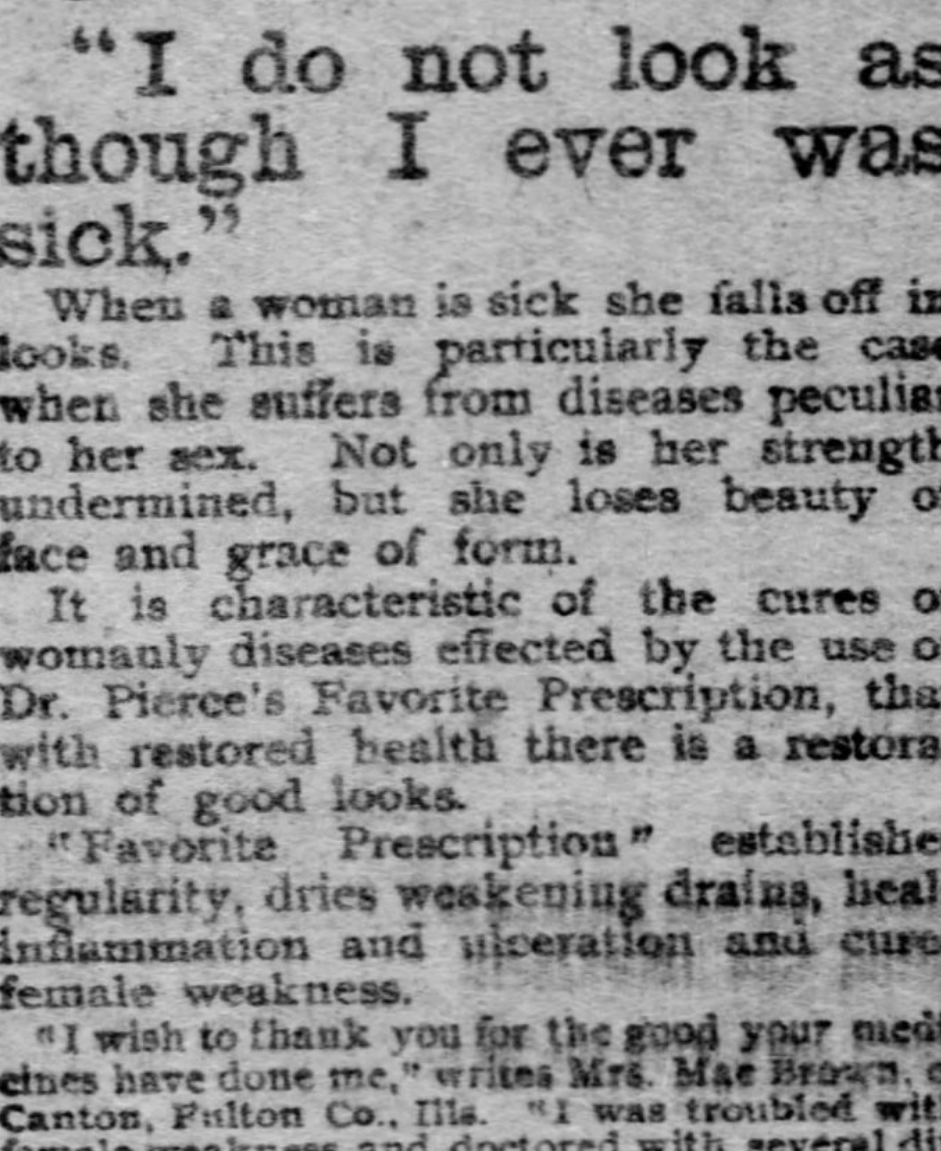
SHOT INNOCENT NEGROES.

Party of Georgia White Men Went Out Hunting for Black Game in a Hack.

TALBOTTON, GA., Sept. 21.—The negroes recently dismissed by the court here on the charge of belonging to a "Before Day club," were followed on their departure by a hack carrying four or five white men. About a mile from town the hack party met Jack Troy, a negro boy. In passing, some one in the hack shot Troy, wounding him so seriously that he is not expected to live.

Six miles from town the hack party called to Ed Martin, a negro, and made him get into the hack. Then one of the party shot the negro's eye out. He also will likely die.

The negroes shot were not charged with being members of the "Before Day club." Sheriff Richards, with deputies and a posse, has gone to Prattsburg to protect the negroes there.



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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 277.)

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading of Atlantic avenue, from Benton avenue to the line of William Hoffman's lands, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading of Atlantic avenue, from Benton avenue to the line of William Hoffman's lands, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 15th day of September, A. D. 1904.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President of Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., September 20, A. D. 1904. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 536, August term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of D. G. Lindsay for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the vacation of a portion of Marburg street, First ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 3d day of October, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

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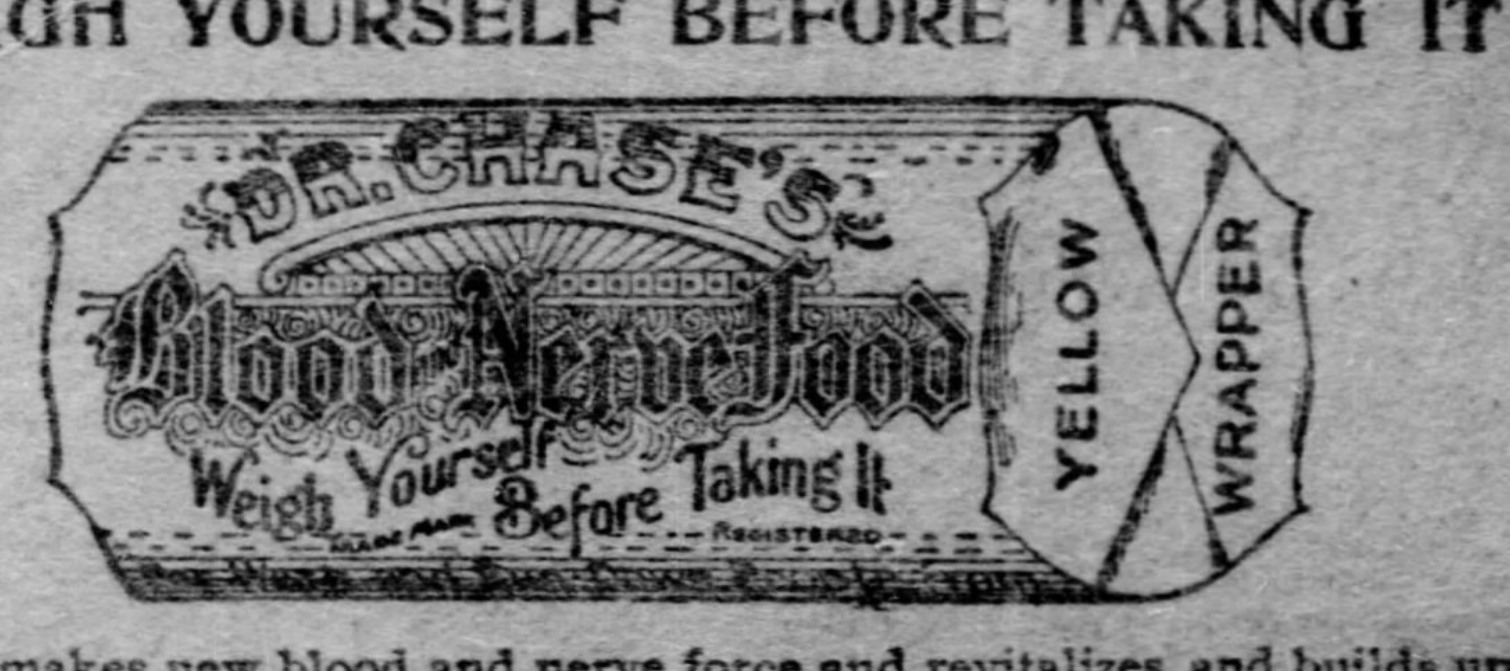

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Booklets, descriptive of the hotels advertised, may be had on application at The Gazette office.

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